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Reserve for Other Claims, \$3,087,299.79  
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for the election of Directors and the  
transaction of any other business that  
may legally come before them.  
HORACE F. SPEAR, Cashier.  
Quincy, Dec. 6

### THE TRUE BOOSTER.

If you like the old town best  
Tell me so.  
If you'd have her lead the rest  
Help her grow.  
When there's anything to do  
Let the fellows count on you.  
You'll feel badly when it's through.  
Don't you know.

If you want to make a hit  
Get a thumb.  
If the other fellows it  
Who's to blame?  
Spend your money in the town  
Where you pull the shekels down.  
Give the mail concern a frown.  
That's the game!

If you're used to giving knocks  
Change your style.  
Throw bouquets instead of rocks  
For awhile.  
Let the other fellow roar.  
Shout him as you would a ghost.  
Shout his hammer with a boast  
And a smile.

Then a stranger from afar  
Comes along  
Tells him who and what we are.  
Make it strong.  
"We're not flatter, new bluff."  
Tells the truth, for that's enough.  
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### BURNING THE MORTGAGE.

At exactly 11 o'clock on New Year's  
morning there was a curious ceremony  
at "the old Edwards place" in  
Maine. The word ceremony, in fact,  
but faintly describes what happened.  
It was more like a jubilee, with the  
semblance of a barbaric rite added.  
All the Edwards kith and kin were  
there, with a goodly number of their  
friends and neighbors.

At the further end of the garden, in  
front of the farmhouse, there is a  
knoll, at the top of which a mossy  
ledge crops out. On this ledge there  
was a pyre erected of dry wood, pitch  
and rolls of curved birch bark—an iron  
rod, set in a hole drilled in the ledge,  
and here an old oppressor of the 23-  
wards household was burned at the stake!

This sounds so savage that I make  
haste to say that the old oppressor  
was not an animate form of flesh and  
blood, but merely an effigy.

The effigy was a masterpiece in its  
way, the very singular of rapacity,  
with a face like the fabled Harpocry-  
des and hands like talons, hugging to its  
breast a folded, yellowed paper.

That yellowed paper was a mortgage  
which had rested on the home farm  
for one entire generation.

The history of that mortgage is so  
much like thousands of others that it  
would hardly be worth relating if, early  
in the last moment, a noble effort to lift  
it had not been crowned by success.  
The story of that effort is one I like  
to tell.

The Edwards farm adjoins the one  
where I lived when a boy. There were  
three hundred acres of tillage,  
pasture and woodland, with a well-  
built, two-story house and two large  
barns. The Edwards children—Chester,  
Thomas, Catherine, Eunice—were my  
youthful neighbors and schoolmates.

In those days the farm was well-  
tilled, uncumbered and prosperous;  
but in an evil hour a traveling agent  
captured Jonas Edwards, the father,  
into buying the state right to make  
and sell a certain newly patented auto-  
matic farm gate, for the sum of two  
thousand dollars. Edwards had a  
thousand dollars in the savings bank;  
he drew out this and raised the other  
thousand by mortgaging the home-  
stead.

It was the old story. The much-  
vaunted gate proved a gate to trouble  
for Edwards. He was never able to  
sell it. But if the gate proved illus-  
ory, the mortgage was tangible. The  
farmer spent the remaining fifteen  
years of his life paying interest on it.

After his father's death Chester Ed-  
wards "went home to live," as people  
say in Maine. The family then con-  
sisted of his mother, his sister Eunice,  
who was an invalid from spinal curva-  
ture, and his mother's brother, Uncle  
Horace, who had lost a leg in the Civil  
War, but for some reason did not  
draw a pension. Chester began by sell-  
ing off the wood and timber on the old  
farm, thereby paying the account of  
interest. He then embarked in the  
dairy business, but did not prove a  
successful farmer, and during the fifth  
year lost almost his entire herd of  
cows from tuberculosis. Becoming  
discouraged, he gave up and set off  
suddenly for the Klondike gold re-  
gion.

A nephew then carried on the farm  
for a year, but did not remain.

Meanwhile Thomas, the younger son,  
had become a Methodist minister. He  
was unable to do anything toward re-  
ducing the mortgage.

"The mortgage will get the old  
place now, and no help for it," the  
neighbors said.

But there was still another member  
of the family to be heard from—  
Catherine, the younger daughter.

Largely by her own efforts, Cath-  
erine Edwards had graduated from the  
State Normal School, and obtained  
a position as instructor in another  
normal school at a good salary. We  
imagined that Catherine would aid her  
mother and sister, but never sup-  
posed that she would come home to  
care for them there.

But after Chester left, Catherine  
never hesitated for a moment. She  
resigned her position, bade farewell  
to all prospects of advancement as a  
teacher and came home.

She had saved seven hundred dol-  
lars. With this she paid a year's in-  
terest, had the leaky roofs repaired,  
and hired such help as was necessary,  
indoors and out. Yet what could she  
do with that old farm and its mort-  
gage?

This season, however—1903—the  
old place quietly put forward one of  
its natural assets.

Our county is in what is known as  
"the apple belt" of New England. Ap-  
ple trees spring up everywhere here,  
and if grafted and trimmed, soon bear

### THE TRUE BOOSTER.

If you like the old town best  
Tell me so.  
If you'd have her lead the rest  
Help her grow.  
When there's anything to do  
Let the fellows count on you.  
You'll feel badly when it's through.  
Don't you know.

If you want to make a hit  
Get a thumb.  
If the other fellows it  
Who's to blame?  
Spend your money in the town  
Where you pull the shekels down.  
Give the mail concern a frown.  
That's the game!

If you're used to giving knocks  
Change your style.  
Throw bouquets instead of rocks  
For awhile.  
Let the other fellow roar.  
Shout him as you would a ghost.  
Shout his hammer with a boast  
And a smile.

Then a stranger from afar  
Comes along  
Tells him who and what we are.  
Make it strong.  
"We're not flatter, new bluff."  
Tells the truth, for that's enough.  
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Tells him who and what we are.  
Make it strong.  
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Tells the truth, for that's enough.  
Tells the boosters. They're the stuff.  
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## The Quincy Patriot

SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1914

### W. Y. C. CELEBRATE.

The year 1914 was royally ushered in at the Wollaston Yacht club, Wednesday evening with one of the biggest of big times in this famous organization. Starting at eight and lasting until the stroke of midnight a cabaret show with features de luxe was in active operation.

The program was continuous, and so good that it needed but the midnight demonstration to cap the climax of one of the most successful social events ever run off by the club.

When the midnight hour arrived, Commodore Frank F. Taylor struck off eight bells on a large gong on the stage in true nautical fashion. Then pandemonium broke loose and a noise such as never before had been heard by Wollastonians broke upon the assembled gathering.

Over a score of ship bells had been put in place around the hall. In the hands of each waiter was a large dinner gong. The guests were provided with horns and whistles galore, and at the signal of Commodore Taylor there arose a din that nearly sent the yacht club off its foundations.

Large numbers of cornucopias filled with confetti had been hung from the ceiling and at the signal these were loosed. Paper streamers and boxes of confetti had been distributed and when these went into action the scene was a pretty one.

Just before the stroke of twelve, words of good advice from Commodore Taylor were listened to and the singing of Auld Lang Syne brought 1913 to a close.

At the suggestion of the management the floor was cleared and dancing to the music of the club orchestra was enjoyed until after one o'clock. At the cabaret show every nook and corner of the hall was filled with tables seating four, tickets having been sold out four days after they were issued.

A number of the good fellows of the club in blackface, acted as waiters and their expert service, white coats and beaming countenances added much to the occasion. They were: Benjamin F. Chase, Clifford H. Suss, F. Gordon Rourke, Ernest Woodman, Harold Winslow, Andrew Nelson, Harry Linnell, Charles Chapin and Milton Irving.

All sorts of soft drinks, light refreshments and ices were served and each lady was presented with a box of chocolates.

The program opened with a popular program by the Beacon Quartet. A colored organization, Miss Gertrude Persell of Dorchester served as emcee, coming out among the tables in true cabaret style and singing several snappy songs that pleased the audience immensely.

Harold L. Bowker of Dorchester, the only amateur on the list also received a big hand in his impersonations of Harry Lauder. His first appearance was in Highland costume and the second in the character sketch "The softest of the family."

The professional talent consisted of a long array of songs, sketches, dancing and musical numbers, rapidly following one another, by artists from the United Kingdom and of America under the personal direction of C. W. Fraser.

The affair, which was a thorough success, was given under the direction of Commodore Taylor and the entertainment committee consisting of C. A. Franklin, Thomas Ralche and Gerard Frazar.

A sub-committee composed of Edward A. Bean, Frank Winslow, Herman Metcalf, Clifford Sykes and Mr. Mitchell performed efficient services in the culinary department.

### NEW YEARS EVE.

There were crowds upon the streets about City Square New Years eve. There were many social gatherings such as watch meetings, entertainments, house parties, dances, etc., which called out the crowd. It was with a very orderly crowd. The late trains brought out many people who had gone to Boston to see the sights, especially the late train. The big tree on the Common was lighted early in the evening so that it was possible to see it and get the last train for Quincy.

Then there were many Quincy people who had engaged tables at some of the hotels, who did not depend on the trains to bring them home, for they either remained in town all night or returned home in automobiles.

Several houses displayed lighted candles in the windows until after midnight. The New Year dawning bright and clear and at the stroke of 12 was welcomed in by the ringing of bells and the blowing of whistles. There was also the distant sound of cannon, the din continuing for several minutes. Then things quieted down and those who sat out to watch the Old Year out and the New Year in, wished each other a Happy New Year and retired.

### NORWEGIAN PARTY.

Nearly 100 kiddies were made happy on New Years eve at the annual Christmas Tree observance and Watch party of the Norwegian Society of Quincy in Protection hall. Flags of the native and adopted country of the members were tastefully arranged about the hall and in the centre was a large evergreen tree heavily laden with lighted candles, colors of the seasons, tinsel and gifts.

The impersonation of Santa Claus by Thorwald Johnson was a delight to the parents as well as the children and during the evening a well arranged program was given. Dancing was enjoyed, music being furnished by Johnsen's orchestra. Refreshments were also served. The committee included Thorwald Johnson, Lars Anderson, Nils Loddgaard, Laurence A. Jakobsen, chairman.

### EVERYBODY GO-TO-CHURCH.

The interest taken in other cities and towns in the "Everybody-go-to-church" day should be duplicated in Quincy on Jan. 11. A Boston paper says:

"As a result of the 10-day campaign waged in Wakefield in the interests of 'Everybody at Church Day,' Sunday saw the largest aggregate church attendance in the history of the town. The high water mark was reached by the devotion of 1623 persons who distributed their attendance among six churches. This is 500 more than the average total attendance on regular Sundays."

### BRIEFS

L. C. Huston of 24 Newcomb place left Wednesday on a two weeks business trip to Canada.

Rumor this morning has it that a man from Boston will be brought to Quincy as Chief of the Fire Department.

John Fuller and family have returned from a visit with Mrs. Fuller's sister, Mrs. Herbert Dewsbury of Providence.

William A. Richards the monumental designer has been called to Zanesville, Ohio, by the serious illness of his mother.

Miss Helen Hines is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her duties at Rutland, Vt., at her home on Miller Street road.

Joseph Currie, a popular Quincy resident, who has been in New York for the past year, is home for the holidays.

Miss Barbara Sears of Glendale road is spending a few days in Framingham at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Angier, the guest of their daughter Frances.

In what was the best game so far seen at the Y. M. C. A. this season the crack Northampton Y. M. C. A. team defeated the Quincy five by the score of 21 to 2.

Henry L. Kincade is one of the directors of the new Massachusetts Trust Company which will begin business in Boston about Feb. 1. Gen. Edgar R. Chaplin is president and Elmer A. Stevens, vice president.

Henry C. Low who was the guest of his son over the Christmas holidays returned to New York, Monday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Russell C. Low who will be his guests for a few weeks.

The bond of \$10,000 making the National Mt. Wollaston Bank a depository for funds of estates in bankruptcy for Norfolk County has been approved by Judge Morton of the United States district court.

The "District School" which was given so successfully in the vestry of the West Quincy M. E. church a few weeks ago is to be repeated Tuesday evening, Jan. 6, in the Universalist church vestry.

The funeral of John Christensen was held Tuesday afternoon from his home on Irving place. Services were conducted by Rev. A. L. Hudson of the First Unitarian church. The body was taken to the crematory at Forest Hills for cremation.

Miss Avah Gilson of Linden place, is entertaining for a few weeks her friend, Mrs. R. P. Pray and daughter Rouena, of Elizabeth, N. Y. Mrs. Pray will be remembered as Miss Helen Barnes and her many friends are giving her a warm welcome.

Mrs. Lydia C. Hultman arrived in Quincy last week from Fume, Austria Hungary, where she has been on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Louis Eckert. She is survived by three sons, Harry, Fred and Arthur, who are in New York Friday morning her steamship being some hours late.

The public schools of the city opened Monday morning with a registration practically the same as at the close of the fall term. But little sickness is reported and not more than the normal number of contagious diseases have developed among the pupils.

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Miss Nettie Crittendon has recovered from an attack of tonsillitis.

Now that bills for Christmas and New Years Gifts have been paid, how does the bank account stand?

Edward B. Riley manager of the Quincy Beef Co., leaves Saturday on a week's business trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beaumont have returned to their home in Portland, Maine, after spending the holidays with Mrs. E. E. Field of Hancock street and relatives at Dorchester.

A district conference of the Y. P. C. U. is to be held at the Brockton Universalist church next Thursday evening at quarter of eight. Addresses will be given by the state officers.

The committee of the Board of Trade on the annual banquet is already at work arranging for the affair. It is to be held Feb. 10 at Alpha hall.

The Universalist Old Colony conference is to be held Jan. 7 at Brockton from 10.30 A. M. until 3 P. M. Among the speakers will be Rev. F. J. Richards, Rev. C. E. Fisher, Rev. R. Perry Bush and Dr. H. A. Gilboa.

Quincy High school opened its basketball hall season in the gymnasium Thursday afternoon by defeating the Alumni team, 30 to 16. In a class game the Junior beat the Seniors 12 to 6. The attendance was fair.

These are anxious days for some of the city officials, who are in suspense as to whether they are to be retained in office or if they are to be fired. The general impression is that most of the officials will be fired.

The young people are now having an opportunity to try those new skates which Santa Claus brought Christmas day. While the ice is not very thick it is strong enough on shallow ponds.

Grand Knight William A. Carey and the officers of Quincy council, Knights of Columbus, conducted their first expedition in Colonial hall Thursday evening on several candidates. A busy season is being arranged by the officers.

Mrs. William E. Alden whose travel lecture at the home of Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard a few weeks ago gave so much pleasure is to repeat it next Friday afternoon in Association hall under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A.

A series of very pleasant neighborhood meetings are being held by the ladies of the First Parish church in various parts of the city. Several hostesses have entertained informally and more are to follow with possibly a large gathering later, of all the neighborhood groups.

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It is probable in the event of Joseph L. Whiton being elected as President of the new City Council next Monday and there is no known opposition, that he will announce the make up of the standing committees of the new Council before adjournment.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Mount Wollaston Bank is to be held Tuesday afternoon at half past three in the banking rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Ambler Welch, nee Blanche Morrison, who were married in the First Parish church October eighteenth, are now at home to their friends at 51 Wyman street, Brockton.

William R. Dimock the builder of Prospect avenue, who is building the Prescott apartments on Spear street has another large contract for the winter, a private home at Brush hill Milton to cost about \$30,000.

Mrs. Wilson Tisdale of Miller Stile Inn is to be the hostess Tuesday evening for a subscription auction bridge party. Cash will be followed by dancing at half past nine and the affair promises to be not only unique for a house entertainment but unusually enjoyable.

The schedule of the Greater Boston Basketball League was completed at a meeting of the N. E. A. A. U. basketball commission at the St. Joseph's A. S. rooms in Boston on Thursday afternoon. The competing fives will be from Lynn, Salem, Cambridge, Boston, Roxbury and Quincy. Three other places will be represented after February.

One of the gayest Tango parties of the season was given in Alpha hall Thursday evening by the W. E. T. C. club of this city. The affair was formal and attended by the couples. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight, music being furnished by Hamilton's orchestra. Mrs. Henry L. Kincade and Mrs. Percy Bennett were matrons, and the committee included Arthur L. Thomas, Fred D. Williams, Roland Calendars for the year 1914 are in demand. One of the most handy of these is that issued by the Stone, Underhill Co., the first with the Mayor Stone is connected. Each month is on a different colored sheet and the figures while not very large are very plain and easily read from a distance.

Music lovers of Quincy will be glad of another opportunity to hear Arthur J. Hackett the tenor soloist who delighted everybody at the last Choral Society concert. Mr. Hackett is to sing for the Wollaston Glee Club Wednesday evening in New School hall, Wollaston, in the club's first concert of the season. Madame Calvert, the noted soprano, is also to assist the club.

William S. Sayward, Jr. is home from Vermont Academy, Saxton's River, Vt. for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace F. Bates and Mrs. George Torrey on Monday afternoon of Hanover spent the holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bates of Winthrop avenue.

Miss Esther Whitney of Brooklyn, N. Y., was the guest of Miss M. Elizabeth Bates and Mrs. H. H. Albee, Highland avenue last week.

Rev. Carl G. Horst officiated at the funeral last week—the first of Quincy Torrey on Monday afternoon of the second that of Mrs. Caroline Fisher McIntire in her eighty-eighth year, whose body was committed to the purifying flames at Forest Hills on Wednesday, the third that of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Russell, which was buried in the cemetery of Merrymount avenue, whose body was cremated Saturday.

Misses Marion and Ramah Baker of Wollaston gave a party Saturday evening in honor of Miss Hortense Andrews of Lowell, Maine, who is visiting her friends.

Miss Jessie Marjorie Bailey of Belovs Falls, Vermont, is visiting her mother and Mrs. George B. Bailey of Wollaston.

Miss Marguerite Louise Holbrook entertained her music pupils at a Christmas Party at her home in Bellevue Park, Friday evening, Dec. 26. A goodly number were present and the evening was pleasantly spent in playing piano and singing. The soloists were Misses Elsie M. Young of Atlantic selected to entertain by rendering piano selections. There was a Christmas tree with a gift for each one present after which a collation was served.

George Mervin Bailey is spending the week-end in Plainville.

The next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian Club comes Tuesday evening, Jan. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Lane are entertaining Mr. Lane's father and mother during the holidays.

Miss Nettie Crittendon of Taylor street is confined to her home with tonsillitis.

John Edgerton of Wollaston is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents in Freeman, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Ewertz of Lincoln avenue have returned from a trip to New York.

Rev. George Mervin Bailey, gave a most appropriate sermon for the last Sunday of the Old Year. A chorus sang "The God of Abraham praise" and "A song of faith" by Galbraith was rendered by Miss Marguerite Louise Holbrook.

The Rev. George Browning Spurr, pastor of the Third Congregational church in Hingham, preached in exchange with Rev. Carl G. Horst Sunday at the morning service of worship. The so-called Old North church in Hingham is unique in having not only the usual gallery found in all old New England meeting houses, but above that a smaller gallery in either corner of the building. These two small galleries were occupied by the slaves in olden times. This is the church where Governor John D. Wollaston died.

Edward Record, nephew of the late Dr. Wellington Record, died Thursday morning at Abington in his 21st year. His body will be brought to Quincy for burial in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

The Wollaston Women's club is to have an evening meeting Tuesday Jan. 6 in the Wollaston school hall when Woods Hutchins, M. D. will speak on "Which is Man's life, his work or his play?" Special guest tickets have been issued for this meeting so that the general public may hear this noted lecturer.

Miss Frances Colgan of Wollaston left this week with Miss Ida M. Perkins of Salem for a four month visit with her brother at Los Angeles.

Mrs. Lucy, wife of Mr. George H. F. Soule of 127 Prospect avenue passed away early Wednesday after a brief illness of pneumonia. Mrs. Soule was a daughter of A. W. Hayes of Wollaston and besides a husband leaves a son and daughter. She also leaves a sister Mrs. Emery.

A single of 121, rolled by Jesse Litchfield, was the highest mark attained in the weekly matches of the Wollaston Tennis Club bowling league on the Coliseum alley Tuesday evening. There were no contenders for his honors, and he was easily the high man in the totals, his net of 303 taking that feature. Forty men were rolled in the four matches and there was much variety in the individual showing.

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Roscoe Saunders has returned to his home on Beale street, after an absence of seven years. He has been engaged in business in the West. He will be remembered as one of the most popular young men in Wollaston, graduating from the Wollaston grammar school, Quincy High and Boston University College of Liberal Arts.

A watch night service was held in the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal church Wednesday evening, when a good sized audience watched the old year out and the new year in. The service was in charge of the pastor, Rev. George Mervin Bailey in which he was ably assisted by Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath of the Wollaston Congregational church and Mrs. Fred Morgan of Brockton street. The meeting opened at half past nine, and after a song service Rev. Mr. Sneath delivered a most thrilling sermon. Light refreshments were served and a short social time followed. Mrs. Morgan gave a short address and the rest of the service was devoted to singing. When Mrs. George Mervin Bailey has returned from Plainville, where she went for the week end.

There will be no communion service at the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning as previously announced.

Jan. 11 is to be observed by the Quincy churches as "Go-to-Church Sunday." There will be special services in the First Methodist church, Wollaston all day. President Leland H. Merin of Boston University will preach at the evening service and there will be special music.

Mrs. George Torrey is ill with the mumps at her home on Beale street. The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal church will be held Monday afternoon at half past two.

The Wollaston Glee club announces another concert, the first of the 1913-14 season, to be given Wednesday evening, Jan. 7. The club has been fortunate in securing the hall in the new Wollaston schoolhouse. John A. Crowley continues as director and William E. Weston as accompanist. The choir will be assisted on this day by Miss Wilhelmina Wright Calvert, soprano; and Arthur J. Hackett, tenor.

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Rev. Albert Edwin Clattenburg of Wilmington, Delaware, sent to many of his friends and former parishioners in Wollaston a Christmas card entitled "Symbols" with a verse of his own composition.

Harold Thomas of Newton street is at Kansas City, Missouri.

Dr. L. H. Merrill, president of Boston University will speak at the Wollaston Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday evening, Jan. 11.

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### ATLANTIC

Mrs. Ralph Read of West Elm street entertained the Criterion club at her home Thursday afternoon, and souvenirs were awarded Mrs. Alva Beede, Miss Maud Read, Mrs. John J. Burke and Mrs. E. Susan and consolation to Mrs. William Hervey. A dainty collation was served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Crowell of Somerville.

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### PARK AND DOWNS

Mr. and Mrs. George Baxter of Rawson road, Norfolk Downs are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter born Sunday afternoon at 10.45 A. M. at the home of Mrs. Lillian Southworth of Ashby, New Hampshire, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents on Rawson road.

Mrs. Henrietta Billings Robinson returned this week to Methuen where she is engaged as a teacher in the high school. She has been visiting her mother Mrs. Katherine Billings and her grandmother Mrs. Billings of Glover avenue.

John Poland has been making extensive alterations and improvements on his home on Hancock street, Norfolk Downs.

Mrs. Mary E. Stebbins of 72 Bromfield street, who was stricken by a shock on Thursday evening, Dec. 18, while at a meeting of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge, passed away Saturday morning, aged 64 years. She was the widow of George W. Stebbins who died last March. She was born at North Graham in 1850 and had been a resident of

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1914

WEEKLY	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
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First Quarter, sixth day, 8.00, A. M.

The year that has just closed has been a prosperous one for the city.

There's mighty little satisfaction in getting a handsome Christmas present, as it makes it necessary for you to raise the ante another year.

Although the appropriation of the School Committee was cut from the amount which the committee asked, and estimated that it would need to carry on the work of the schools during the year, by economical management they managed to have a small balance on the right side.

Even Washington does not take kindly to "Presidents" as a name for its fashionable boulevard. The National House has voted to restore the old name of "Sixteenth street" to the boulevard for two years known as "Avenue of the Presidents." If the street is to be changed in 1914 we suggest "Avenue of the Presidents" instead of "Presidents lane."

**SCHOOL DANCES.**  
The school authorities are to be commended on their action in refusing to dance. Where there is so much criticism of the "kitchen sink" and other new dances and of women's dances of today, it is best that mixed dances at our schoolhouses should be suspended for awhile. Those adults who are willing to go near the danger line, should stop and consider the example they set for the young, and the influences such dances have. An opportunity is offered January 11 to set a better example.

**UNJUST ASSESSMENTS.**  
Quincy and other cities and towns should protest vigorously against all taxes and Metropolitan assessments which are levied on "population." All taxes should be assessed wholly upon "valuation," otherwise the rich cities will benefit at the expense of those which have a smaller per capita valuation. Brookline has a smaller population than Quincy, but should not be allowed to escape with a smaller assessment, because the valuation of the town is three times as large.

One of the provisions of the proposed Metropolitan Fire Prevention Commission bill is that the cost shall be apportioned annually among Quincy and other cities and towns, one half on basis of "valuation" and one half on basis of "population." Why should population be selected? No good reason can be advanced. "Value of buildings" would be a good substitute, but assessed valuation is equitable to all.

But should the cities which surround Boston be included in all this Metropolitan scheme? We think not. The new city government should be prepared to fight this new bill.

**NEW YEARS SUPPER.**  
Men of the Squantum Improvement Association are being congratulated for the success of their supper and entertainment at the Vacation House on New Year's eve. The work of providing the edibles and of serving them was done by the men, and although there was not quite the finesse that so often attends the serving of a supper by women, it was agreed that for the starter the men did very well. All of the 125 Squantum residents who attended got all they wanted to eat which was the main thing.

One of the most appetizing features of the menu was potato salad prepared by Helen Berghaus, which the well known chef of New England. The salad was served on large platters handsomely decorated. Another feature was the excellent coffee prepared by James H. Sumner.

The committee whose work deserved the highest praise, included Rev. T. W. Davidson, Charles H. Foster, James H. Sumner, Warren Field, James H. Foster and Charles Bostwick.

The supper was served shortly after 7 o'clock. It was nearly nine o'clock before all had been served. The party then adjourned to the lower assembly hall where an entertainment was given. President Herbert A. Smith welcomed the guests and wished all a Happy New Year. The entertainment was in charge of the Rev. Mr. Davidson. Joseph Upping served several selections upon a piano and sang and whistled. He is a favorite at all Squantum entertainments.

Mr. H. Adams followed with a recitation. She was called back again and again, and proved herself a high class entertainer. The Squantum quintet made a rather bad start, but after it got under way, sang two selections that were warmly appreciated. It is composed of James H. Foster, John Jepson, Jr., John Nelson, Perley Bostwick and Joseph Upping. Miss Jordine Davidson sang two selections in excellent voice to accompaniment played by her sister. After the entertainment there was a social hour.

**NEW YEARS RECEPTION.**  
The State officers of the D. A. R. as well as the members of Abigail Adams Chapter were the guests Thursday afternoon at the New Year's reception given by Mrs. E. E. Jameson, regent of Abigail Phillips Quincy chapter at her home on Beach street, Wollaston.

Mrs. Jameson was assisted in receiving by Mrs. C. B. Bond, vice-president general, D. A. R. of Massachusetts; Mrs. George O. Jenkins of Whitman, State regent; Mrs. F. S. Davis, state treasurer; Mrs. Frank Dodge of Winchester, state recording secretary; Mrs. Nellie Rice Pike of Cohasset, assistant state auditor; Mrs. Franklin P. Shumway, of Melrose Highlands, state registrar; Mrs. C. W. Sprague of Dorchester, State Chaplain; and Mrs. F. S. Waterhouse, vice regent of Abigail Phillips Quincy chapter.

The spacious rooms of the house were radiant with Christmas decorations and flags and during the afternoon Miss Marion S. Waterhouse played piano solos. Light refreshments were served by Mrs. W. S. Hayward, Mrs. J. K. Bourne, Mrs. G. B. Damon, and Mrs. James H. Broughton. The ushers were Mrs. W. S. Jones, Mrs. E. O. Woodward and Mrs. F. H. Chase.

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## INAUGURATION PLANS.

The twenty-sixth year of the City Government of Quincy, as well as the inauguration of the twelfth citizen to be elected to the highest office in the gift of the citizens of Quincy, will take place next Monday at 12 o'clock noon, in the Council Chamber, at City Hall.

The ceremonies attendant to the inauguration will be very little from other years. Promptly at noon the inaugural party will enter the Council chamber by the rear stairway being escorted by City Messenger Harry W. Tirrell.

The party comprising Mayor Eugene R. Stone and Mayor-elect John L. Miller; the chaplain of the day, who will probably be Rev. Joseph Walther of the Wollaston Baptist church, and City Clerk Emory L. Crane.

City Clerk Crane will preside until the City Council shall have been organized. After prayer by the chaplain, the oath of office will be administered to the Mayor-elect, after which the roll of the City Council will be delivered by the City Clerk.

This address will be somewhat different from other years for aside from being brief, the usual mass of figures relative to the financial condition, according to the present plans, will be omitted. In his inaugural address, Mayor-elect Stone will probably outline the policies he intends to carry out the coming year.

At the conclusion of the inaugural address the City Council will organize by the election of a president, who will be sworn in, after which the City Clerk steps to the clerk's desk, acting in that capacity until the Clerk of the Council shall have been elected and sworn in.

The election of Clerk of Councils, City Auditor and City Messenger will follow. From the present outlook, Joseph L. Whiton will be re-elected as president and there will be no change in the other Council officers.

This over the Council will adopt rules and draw for seats after which it is ready for business.

Some action will probably be taken relative to the election of Alexander Coube, whose eligibility to serve is in doubt.

Usually at this time a communication is received from the Mayor appointing a number of constables which are confirmed. Whether he will announce his official family at this meeting, is not known at present.

There are a number of stereotyped orders that are usually given at the first meeting, namely: Authorizing the Mayor to have his inaugural address printed, and to have printed the annual reports of 1913. Authorizing the Mayor to sign deeds and leases of the Adams Temple and School Fund.

Authorizing the clerk to have the rules printed and the calendars prepared.

At this meeting it has always been the custom to offer an order borrowing money in anticipation of taxes, as on the first of the year the city always finds itself without funds to carry on business.

At the first meeting it will be necessary to make nominations for a member of the Managers of the Woodward Fund and Property not a member of the City Council. Under the ordinance this nomination will have to lay on the table for two weeks. It is also necessary to elect two members of the Board of Trustees of the City Hospital corporation.

If a temporary loan order is introduced the Council will probably adjourn for a week, and it will be necessary to suspend the rules, otherwise it would be necessary to hold a meeting in the evening.

While it is not known that the new President of the Council will announce the standing committees at this meeting, the chances are that he will.

The new City Council, is well equipped to transact the business of the city for out of the 25 members of which it is composed, all but five gentlemen have seen service in other years, the oldest member in point of service being Joseph L. Whiton.

Brief sketches of the members of City Council of 1914 were printed Friday in the Daily Herald, also the usual summary of the work of the year from which each councilman comes, his age, birthplace, business, length of service and age.

**BANQUET TO MAYOR ELECT.**  
Upwards of 150 citizens, representing all wards of the city, were present Thursday evening at the New American house, Boston at the complimentary dinner, tendered to Mayor-elect John L. Miller. The reception committee, headed by the regent of the committee, handled the reception with its line of fire. A ladder was raised to the front attic window and through this the men crawled with their line of fire. A directed stream soon had the fire under control, although not before this rear room was badly scorched. In fact it was a roaring furnace when the firemen first entered it. The roof timbers and boarding were burnt to charcoal, and the fire was under control when it was thought at first that the fire had been started by children, but it was said that all the children had gone to school, although it was between school hours. Chief Litchfield was of the impression that it must have been children that caused the fire. The fire was confined to this room although water ran down through the ceilings to the lower rooms and did some damage. The loss will be less than \$500.

**NEW YEARS DANCE.**  
The New Year was ushered in by a social and dance at Hillman hall by the Orient A. A. A large attendance enjoyed dancing to the music of Linnell's orchestra. Refreshments were served during a short intermission. The committee to whom the success of the affair is due, comprised William Dodge, Harold Mitchell, James King, Howard Allison, J. C. Markham, and F. M. Dolan.

The Orient A. A. is a well-known organization which last season was represented on the diamond by one of the best amateur baseball teams in the state. The membership is made up almost entirely of Ward Three young men.

**HOUGHES NECK PARTY.**  
The Intervale Club of Dorchester held a private dancing party at the Bungalow at Houghes Neck, Tuesday evening. There were 50 couples present. Music was by Browns orchestra.

**CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE.**  
The play at the Castle Square Theatre next week will be "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," the popular comedy-drama adapted from the "Hogan's" famous stories. The cast will include Mr. Carleton, Mr. Meek, Miss Olson, with Mabel Colcord in the title role.

**FOREFATHERS DAY.**  
Forefathers day was observed in Rodger's Library hall, Marshfield Hills by the Marshfield Square Band and set in motion by our former townsman Lysander S. Richards. The following speakers addressed the gathering. Erastus E. Williamson of Hyde Park, formerly of Wollaston, Rev. Charles Peck, pastor of First Congregational church, Wollaston, and Rev. J. W. Sneath of Wollaston. The services were largely attended, a large delegation from Maple Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor, being among those to pay their last tribute to Mrs. Tirrell. There was also a profusion of beautiful flowers.

**CASSIDY-MEHLUGH.**  
On Monday Dec. 29, Thomas P. Cassidy of Chicago, Illinois and Mary E. Mehlugh of Quincy were married by Rev. John J. Conner, pastor of St. John's church. After the ceremony a dinner was served at the home of the bride's sister Mrs. Bernard Muller of Wollaston. Among the best wishes of many friends, Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy left for their future home in Chicago.

**WATER MEETING.**  
There was a good attendance at the Wollaston Methodist church to watch the dawn of the New Year.

**DAY NURSERY FESTIVAL.**  
The Christmas festival at the Quincy Day Nursery was held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and was the occasion of a grand time for the little ones. A Christmas tree was one of the pleasing features of the occasion and each child was given a gift that of the boys was a game, stockings and mittens, while the girls re-

## NEW POLICEMEN.

The vacancies in the reserve police force caused by the promotion of officers Malone, McNamara and Black to the permanent force, were filled by Mayor Stone on Wednesday morning by the appointment of William H. Taylor, Jr., Walter G. Ferguson and Jeremiah J. Connelly. These appointments were made from the civil service lists and are now in effect.

The new appointments to the permanent police force should improve the efficiency of the department.

In the first place there will be a twelve-hour shift on the patrol wagon heretofore Officer Cahill, the chauffeur of the wagon has been on duty day and night, except the time when he has been relieved for meals. Under the new order Officer Whelan has been assigned to the wagon so that the chauffeurs will be on a twelve-hour shift. This will make it so that the wagon will be ready at all times to answer a call. It will also do away with the plan which has been in vogue of allowing the driver to use the patrol wagon to go home to his meals.

Patrolman Malone who has been doing duty in the South Quincy district will remain on the same beat.

Patrolman McNamara will be assigned to a new beat between Barry's corner, Atlantic and Beach street, Wollaston, taken from districts formerly covered by Officers Duffy and Thorne. The beats of these two men have been considered too long to give efficient service, and the splitting up of their beats will give this section of the city better protection.

Patrolman Black the other new man will be assigned to the Shipyard district giving that section a three shift beat. Under the new assignment Officer Johnson will be on duty that section from 8 A. M. until 4:30 P. M. Officer Duggan comes on duty at 4 P. M. and remains on duty until 12 midnight and remains on duty until 8:30 A. M.

This will give two officers on duty in this section when the men are going to work at the Fire River yards and in the afternoon when they are coming from work. It will also give two or three officers on duty in the Quincy Point and Fore River district when the late trains arrive from Boston.

**LAZARUS-SARKIN.**  
The marriage of Miss Bessie Sarkin of 21 Lyndon road, Quincy and Albert Lazarus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Lazarus of 64 West Cedar street, Boston, in Elecia hall Tuesday evening was witnessed by over 200 friends, who afterwards participated in the wedding feast served in Protection hall.

The Rev. Julius Sandolovich of the synagogue of the Ahavath Achim congregation performed the ceremony under a canopy erected in a corner of the hall. The bride was given away by her brother, Hyman Sarkin of Quincy, and her bridesmaids were Miss Katie Kestner and Miss Ida Fingale of Dorchester. The best man was Eli Lazarus.

The bride was dressed in a gown of crepe merino, cut en train, trimmed with applique lace, fur and pearls. The train bearers were Katie and Minnie Laif of Newton Lower Falls, and the bridesmaids were Misses of Dorchester. The best man was Eli Lazarus.

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## ANOTHER COMMISSION.

An increase in Quincy's Metropolitan assessment and taxes may be expected if the proposed Fire Prevention Commission is established by the Legislature of 1914. A commission of three members is proposed, whose jurisdiction shall be supreme in matters pertaining to fire prevention and fire hazard in 29 cities and towns of Greater Boston.

The bill, framed by Fire Commissioner Charles H. Cole, Building Commissioner Arthur G. Everett, Leslie C. Wood, G. A. A. Pevey, M. A. Murphy, W. J. Paul and Clarence H. Blackall, the committee appointed at a conference held at the Boston Chamber of Commerce, Dec. 17, was presented at a public meeting held in the library of the chamber Tuesday afternoon.

It was accepted by those present and the representatives of a number of organizations took copies to present to their respective boards of directors for action.

The bill provides for appointment by the Governor of three members to a Fire Prevention Commission. The salary of the chairman is to be \$1000 a year, those of the other members \$750, without clerk's salary, and expert assistants and an office force are provided.

The bill transfers to the commission all existing powers now vested in other bodies to license or issue permits for the storage, sale and handling of explosives and moving pictures, machines, and for engines and fuel, paint, oil and naphtha stored in or near buildings for use for habitation.

It specifically prohibits the storage of any articles dangerous to the public safety in buildings used as habitations or within 50 feet of such buildings, and in the case of violation, the commission authority to order removal of refuse or debris or remove it at the expense of the owner or occupant.

The bill provides that the commission may require mercantile or manufacturing buildings in which the business is dangerous to the public safety and all structures, including three-story buildings or less, to be equipped with interior automatic sprinklers. The penalty, after six months' written notice from the commission, is a fine of not more than \$1000.

One clause in the bill makes the Commission a court of appeal from decisions given by those acting under its authority.

Heads of Fire departments must investigate the causes of all fires in their district and report to the commission within 10 days after the fire, under pain of a penalty, and insurance companies are required to report all fire losses to the Commissioners.

The Metropolitan District is defined in the bill as the following cities and towns: Abington, Braintree, Canton, Chelsea, Cohasset, Dedham, Dorchester, Everett, Hingham, Hull, Lexington, Lynn, Malden, Melrose, Milton, Nahant, Needham, Newton, Quincy, Revere, Saugus, Somerville, Stoneham, Swampscott, Waltham, Watertown, Weymouth, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth, Winchester, Winthrop and Woburn.

The salaries and expenses of the board are to be apportioned annually among the cities and towns subject to the act, one half on the basis of valuation, and one half on the basis of population.

A section of the bill provides: "The provisions of this act shall apply and extend to any and all cities and towns in the Commonwealth as, in the case of a city, by a two-thirds vote of its City Council present and voting, and in the case of a town, at a regular or special meeting called for that purpose, by a majority of its voters present and voting, may vote to accept the provisions hereof; and the words Metropolitan District, wherever it may occur in this act, shall apply to and include each such city and town so voting."

Except as before mentioned, a person violating provisions of the bill is made guilty of a misdemeanor and is liable to a fine of \$50 for each offense, or in a case continuing after notice of such violation, to a fine not exceeding \$10 for each day that the violation continues.

The bill, if passed, would repeal all previous conflicting statutes. The bill is planned to become operative Aug. 1 of the coming year.

**NEW BILLS.**  
The time for the filing of bills for consideration by the incoming Legislature expires on Jan. 17 and Representative Michael T. Sullivan announces that residents of the district wanting bills filed should make an effort to have facts at his disposal as soon as possible so that the bill can be drafted in the proper form before being presented.

Representative Sullivan has several bills that will be filed during the week, among them being one authorizing the payment of a reward of \$250 offered by the State for the finding of the body of Louis Restelli, who killed two and injured several others during a rampage between South Quincy and the quarrying district and then committed suicide by drowning in the abandoned Peter Carlson quarry. The reward will be paid to Officer Patrick Milford of Quincy and Officer James Quincy of Braintree, who both of whom he body while dragging the quarry.

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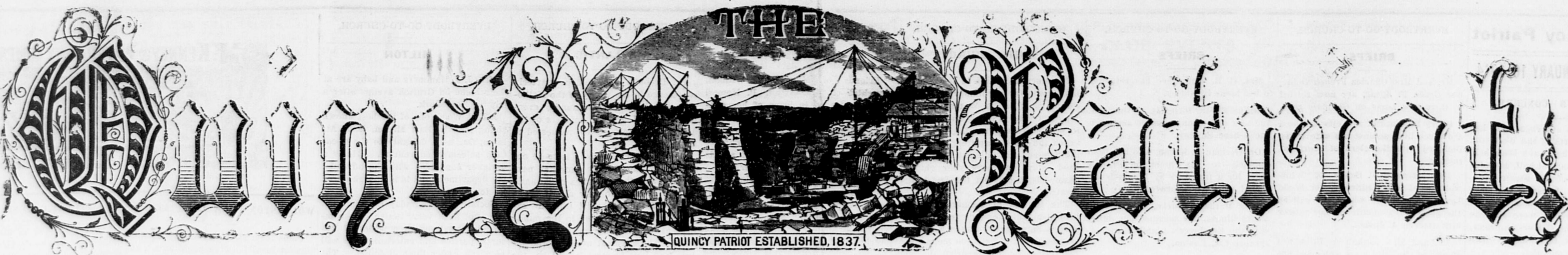
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Reserve for Unpaid Losses, \$1,113,129  
Reserve for Other Claims, \$13,047.29  
Total Assets, \$7,116,176.29  
Total Liabilities, \$6,913,138.86  
Net Surplus, \$203,037.43  
Surplus for Policy-Holders, \$128,372.56

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Cash Assets, 102,821.28  
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance), 72,118.79  
Amount of Cash Surplus, 192,720.21  
Contingent Assets, 138,051.45  
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Amount at Risk, \$26,928,007.78  
Cash Assets, 1,028,212.28  
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance), 1,371,419.79  
Amount of Cash Surplus, \$48,568.27  
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Re-insurance Reserve, \$18,291.26  
Other Liabilities, 9,154.83  
Cash Surplus October 31, 1913, 208,210.49  
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The young lady clerks at City Hall called upon Mayor Stone at his office on Monday and presented him with a handsome bouquet of roses, with wishes for the best health and success for the future.

A little later that morning Mayor Stone called the newspaper reporters who have been covering City Hall into his office and thanked them for the kindly and friendly spirit which they had shown him during his two years as the chief executive of the city.

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Honey, don't yo' sigh;  
Givine to be mo' roses made  
Fo' yo' by on by.

Gwine to be mo' roses grow—  
Don't yo' worry, chile,  
'Tbout dem thos dat hut' yo' so—  
Roses—ateff while.

We des blooged ter hab some night,  
Sho's yo' is bo'n.

Ateff while hit gwine be light—  
Flies' kind of mo'n  
Darkest clouds dat evch was,  
Hangin' 'roun' dis chile—  
Don't yo' worry none becu  
Sunshine—ateff while.

All dem teads dat come today  
Has dey purpose too;  
Ateff while dey gwine erway—  
Hit's dey way dey do.

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### THE BLACK HOUSE.

I was one of the detectives on duty at the Ramercliff-Halsey wedding reception, where thousands of dollars worth of beautiful gifts were displayed in the library and adjacent study, and my duties had confined me to these rooms, where a pageant of brilliantly gowned women and sombre ly clad men passed in and out.

It was marriage of youth, beauty and great wealth with talent and more wealth, for Dr. Ramercliff had a national reputation as a specialist in diseases of the brain, and it had been a matter for universal surprise when the grave and studious physician had stepped from the seclusion of professional life to court the brilliant young debutante and win her.

Now the bride had retired to don her traveling gown. They were to leave on the western express, and their destination was a secret.

Presently they came, and I shall never forget Dr. Ramercliff's look as he passed out of the door with his beautiful bride. His handsome face expressed manifold triumph.

A feeling of triumph, I felt, possessed me for days afterward, and I was not surprised when Benjamin Halsey, the father of the bride, paid me a visit in my private office.

He was looking haggard and worried, quite unlike the happy, genial gentleman who had presided at the wedding of his motherless daughter.

"Blair, I need your help," he said when we were alone.

"What is it, sir?" I inquired.

"You were at my daughter's wedding reception three weeks ago. You saw my daughter leave the house with her husband?"

"Yes.

"They have disappeared—completely disappeared."

"Well," I was still wondering at his anxiety.

"Read that," he said, thrusting a tattered bit of paper into my hands.

It was a piece of brown wrapping paper, and on it were a few scrawled words: "Oh, father, come! This terrible black house! I am going mad! He is coming now! I must hide this! Bessie!"

"You believe that your daughter wrote that?"

"I do. It is her handwriting. It was received in my mail this morning. The envelope bore a blurred postmark and in addition to my name and address were the penciled words: 'Whoever finds this please mail at once.'"

He produced the envelope, and I studied the postmark through my strongest glasses.

"Looks like Woodruff. That's a little village down Long Island," I said finally. "I'll go down there at once. You believe that both of them have met with foul play?"

He shook his head doubtfully. "Read that note over again, Blair."

"Within the hour," I decided, replacing the note in my pocket.

It was 10 o'clock when I reached Woodruff, a little north shore village, surrounded on three sides by oak forests and on the fourth by a shallow harbor.

I made casual inquiry among the loungers about the postoffice and hotel where I put up, but none of them had seen any strangers thereabouts.

The postmaster did give me a clue.

"The old Yale place was taken by strangers several months ago, but I don't believe any one is there yet."

"Who is the caretaker?"

"Search me!" said the postmaster, returning to his neglected duties.

"Some queer foreigner who lives in the barn and buys his supplies over to Oakville."

"I chose to take my first view of the Yale place by moonlight. I had traversed perhaps half a mile along the gloomy wood road, where moonlight fell in silver patches on the carpet of thick leaves, when a man passed me going swiftly toward the village.

He paused and peered at me for an instant.

"Where you go?" he asked, thickly, and I smelled whiskey on his breath.



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SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1914

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Cold weather through the Northern states makes the prospect for an ice crop better than last year, but the ice men will have other good reasons for the same old high prices.

New York is to have an exhibition of pictures worth 30 millions. Probably an exhibit of the checks would be still more interesting in that city.

Although our picture has been left around where the motion picture companies could swipe it, they persistently refuse to run it and pay the standard price of \$12,500 set by the Jack Bunn case.

Some people think they can become generals down in Mexico, without having held up and robbed any passenger trains.

### THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

Evidently retrenchment in city expenses is the ambition of Mayor Miller, as expressed in his address to the City Council on Inauguration Day, and the taxpayers will rejoice. We believe that he will have the support of the City Council and the endorsement of the taxpayers in the attempt.

Unfortunately a Mayor is confronted with many fixed charges which must be met. It is already known how much debt matures this year, and it cannot be dodged. Any attempt to refund would be unpopular, besides it would require action by the Legislature.

So it is with interest. It is already known how much must be raised to meet this big item. Salaries of city officials are fixed by ordinance and amendments do not become operative until the following year. Salaries of firemen, police and school teachers are also established.

There is a yearly demand for increase in current expenses, and Mayor Miller will do well if he reduces the total of the annual appropriation.

Section 29 of Chapter 719 of 1913, a new act relative to municipal indebtedness, will help any Mayor who really desires to retrench. It provides that "The City Council may reduce or reject any item, but without the approval of the Mayor, SHALL NOT incur any item in nor the total of a budget, nor add any item to the total."

Henceforth the City Councils have increased items recommended by Mayors and have also increased the totals; they have also added items to the annual budgets.

There is a new provision which seems to give the Mayor the initiative in all appropriations. A part of Section 29 reads:

"In case of the failure of the Mayor to transmit in writing to the City Council a recommendation for an appropriation of money for any purpose deemed by the Council to be necessary, and after having been requested by vote of the City Council, said Council, after the expiration of seven days after such vote, upon its own initiative, may make an appropriation for such purpose by a vote of at least two-thirds of its members, and shall in all cases make such appropriations in the same manner as the City Council is authorized to make."

There are other radical changes made by Chapter 719 of 1913 which should improve city finances.

The Daily Ledger wishes Mayor Miller a full measure of success in his efforts to make the best in Quincy's history.

### THE LOVE FEAST.

Gatherings like the City Council banquet are a good thing for our city. It was a good natured crowd, where everyone forgot differences and tried to be agreeable. Even Mayor Miller was surprised to find everyone so friendly; so much so that he could hardly distinguish it from a gathering of a night's previous of his "quiescent." Perhaps, as the year goes on, the so-called supporters may desert him, but the people at large will be his friends if he gives the city a good administration. The campaign committee is entitled to some credit, but after all, it is the Mayor who is the people's Mayor.

The situation in Quincy cannot be very serious, for Mr. Stone, the retiring Mayor, said: "As I look back over my administration I cannot see anything that I would change."

The City Solicitor put it well when he said: "We must all stand together, all for one purpose. Quincy's Mayor is my Mayor, and as long as John L. Miller is Mayor he is John W. McCarney's Mayor." That is the right spirit.

Quincy is growing so rapidly that many find it difficult to keep up with the procession. The city is certainly passing through a period of development. New houses are being built everywhere, requiring new schools, streets, sidewalks and street lighting, extension of water and sewer mains, better health regulations, etc., etc. The city is growing in valuation, as well as population. Quincy is booming all right. But as the Mayor says, we should get together and always have a good word for Quincy.

### PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

The Children's Room of the library has acquired during the year many new additions by which it has been greatly improved. A new coat of paint and varnish has brightened the aspect of the room greatly. The new bulletin boards, which the room has been in need of for a long time, are now placed around the hexagonal pillars and have added to the room a better health regulations, etc., etc. The Christmas posters, the brown cork forming a neutral background for all sorts of pictures.

Many new pictures have been added to this room during the year and series of books have been completed as far as possible. It is proposed to keep on a separate shelf all of the extensively illustrated books. The mounted picture collection, also, has been increased by ten sets of colored postals of the south and the larger cities.

The new year begins with Miss Brackett in place of Miss Ford, in charge of this room.

## THE MAN THAT COUNTS.

"It is necessary for the wholesome development of a boy to fight, and any boy that does not scrap has lost an essential element in his boyhood," according to Rev. B. A. Willmott of Bethany Congregational church, who discussed "The Man that counts" at the second annual Father and Son banquet at the Quincy Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday evening. Continuing, he said "the trouble is we seek the easy course. We are farming our boys out and we are letting the boys and the Y. M. C. A. do the stunt that belongs to us."

The eloquent address filled 132 diners with pleasure and they loudly applauded Rev. Willmott when he finished. The toastmaster was Joe Beal, one of the Junior members and the speakers were: J. A. Sedgwick, Louis F. LaRoe, President, George A. Sidelinger and Rev. Willmott.

The banquet was the annual get-together night of father and son at the festive board, and the menu included roast Vermont turkey, mashed potatoes, cranberry sauce, cream, squash, lettuce, ice cream, cake and cocoa.

The food was prepared by the members of the Women's Auxiliary and was served by Mrs. W. F. Cummings, chairman of the banquet and boys' work committee. Mrs. A. F. Brundage, Louis F. LaRoe, Mrs. A. H. Gilson, Mrs. Alfred Bean, Mrs. John F. Roache, Mrs. Jonathan S. Swingle, Mrs. A. M. Thompson, Miss Marion Tirrell, Miss Helen Bromley, Miss Elizabeth Scouler and Miss M. L. Bates.

The committee of boys included: Frederick M. Atwood, Allen Connor, Joe Beal, Maynard Hatch, Nathaniel Barton and Albert A. Stephenson.

Seated at the head table were George A. Sidelinger, president of the Y. M. C. A., Roy Sidelinger, Joseph Beal, Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, former treasurer of Y. F. Cummings and son Allen, Louis F. LaRoe, physical director; Sam C. McVillie of the boys work committee, Alden B. Sedgwick, boys' director and J. A. Sedgwick who called the diners to order and introduced Joe Beal as the toastmaster.

During the banquet music was furnished by the Wollaston Cret or Harmon, police and school teachers are also established.

In calling the diners to order Mr. Sedgwick said he had a great deal of respect for a real live boy that knew when to make a noise at the proper time and for one that is so busy trying to be manly that he does not know what it is to be manly.

L. F. LaRoe, who was the first presented a plan for the fathers to take a more active interest in the work of the boys and extended an invitation to attend the gym classes and watch them at work.

President Sidelinger gave the history of the association and said it existed only because through the interest of the city of Quincy. He said the money needed to maintain it was contributed.

After the banquet, all watched the basketball games in the gym where the Y. M. C. A. defeated Cunningham gym 42 to 10, and the employed boys beat a High School representation 28 to 20.

### J. HAROLD RICHARDS.

J. Harold Richards, son of ex-Councilman John R. Richards, passed away Thursday morning at the home of his parents, 216 Centre street, after an illness which has puzzled the physicians for many weeks.

It was in November that he was first taken ill, with what seemed to develop into rheumatic fever, although it is doubtful if it is known just what the disease was. At times he would rally and again his illness would be at a low ebb, and it was on one of the latter occasions that he had eyes on Mayor Miller since the night of the banquet, which was Monday evening at the American house, Boston. So many rumors are flying about that a sitting is necessary.

From investigation it appears that the story was made up by some one out of whole cloth. President Whitton, when seen this morning, denied emphatically that he had visited the office of the Mayor and had any such conversation as reported. President Whitton further said that he had not had eyes on Mayor Miller since the night of the banquet, which was Monday evening at the American house, Boston. So many rumors are flying about that a sitting is necessary.

His father promptly volunteered to give the necessary blood, but before the operation could be performed, one of Harold's chums, Robert Parquhar happened to call to inquire as to his condition, and on learning what was needed promptly volunteered for the operation. Being a young man of Harold's age, he was accepted by the physicians and the transfusion of blood was made by a method seldom used. The blood was drawn in a glass tube and then injected into the veins of the patient.

For a time the patient rallied, and there were hopes of his recovery, but it was only temporary, and many times since then his life has hung in the balance. Several consultations of the best physicians in the state have been held, but the disease seemed to puzzle the experts.

Harold previous to his illness was a healthy looking and rugged young man. He received his education in the public schools of Quincy and on completing his education entered the office of his father, one of South Quincy's well known granite manufacturers.

It was while he was at work that he was taken ill, he was free hearted, jovial and unusually popular with the young people of his own age, and his death will be sadly felt by a large circle of close friends.

### AT THE STATE HOUSE.

Representative Sullivan of this city was a member of the committee of the House of Representatives on Wednesday appointed to notify Gov. Pease that the members were ready to be qualified.

In the organization of the House, Representative Sandberg voted on every ballot for Gratton D. Cushing who was elected speaker, while Representative Sullivan voted first for Peter F. Taggart, and then for the Democrat.

Councilman Charles W. Guy, who took the oath of office writes to thank the Daily Ledger for its complimentary mention on Tuesday. He says he owes his election to advertising by David Roach in the Ledger six months ago.

It was not until 140 that Gov. Walsh was inaugurated because of a contest in the Legislature over committees.

## SACRED CLUB.

The annual election of officers of the Sacred Club of Wollaston will be held Monday afternoon and evening, at the club's permanent business office on Newport avenue, Wollaston. The polls will be open from 12 until 9 P. M., and will be in charge of a balloting committee composed of Harry A. Stevens, N. Gorham Nickerson, J. R. and Harold P. Waterhouse.

These officers are to be elected from the following nominees: Russell T. Anthony, Charles A. Bennett, Elisha B. Bird, Charles M. Bryant, John Buchanan, Frederick L. Cheever, James B. Geddes, Amos T. Leavitt, N. Gorham Nickerson, J. R. Arthur P. Russell, George W. Stone, Frank W. White.

Six directors for three years—Russell T. Anthony, Charles A. Bennett, Elisha B. Bird, Charles M. Bryant, John Buchanan, Frederick L. Cheever, James B. Geddes, Amos T. Leavitt, N. Gorham Nickerson, J. R. Arthur P. Russell, George W. Stone, Frank W. White.

Three directors for two years from the following nominees: E. Tyler Brigham, Morrison B. Capron, Hazen B. Chapman, Walter E. Frost, Matthew Ott, George W. Taylor.

Three directors for one year from the following nominees: Eric H. Prewitt, William P. Kimball, Charles P. Loring, Albert P. Moulton, Chandler W. Smith, Albert S. Yall.

Nominating Committee of six for 1914: Charles W. Bailey, Charles E. Barker, Charles H. Brooks, William Chapman, H. B. L. Dimmick, George W. Cheever, Harold Green, E. R. Johnson, Delevante King, Albert H. Murray, Harry W. Reed, Eugene H. Sprague.

The newly elected board, within a week from election, will meet and elect from their number a president, two vice presidents, a secretary and a treasurer.

The first annual meeting of the Sacred Club will be held, Monday evening, in Progressive hall, Wollaston at 8 o'clock.

At this meeting in addition to reports and announcement of the results of election, will come up the matter of the new clubhouse which the new officers and directors will push through to completion.

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## RESIGNATIONS REQUESTED.

The Mayor's axe fell twice this week, the second day of his term of office as Mayor, and two officials have been requested to hand in their resignations to take effect on Feb. 3. The two men whose heads are requested are Chief of Police Frank P. Burrell and Michael E. Shea, general foreman of the Street and Water departments.

Announcement that the axe had fallen was made known to these two officials in their mail on Wednesday, and was also announced later to the newspaper men by Mayor Miller in person.

The letters were brief and requested that they hand in their resignations for the good of the service by Feb. 3. Should they not comply with the requests it is more than probable that they will be removed. It is understood that the letter stated that if the officials desired a hearing they could have it but that the Mayor, had evidence enough to substantiate his charges.

Chief Burrell has been a police officer of Quincy for many years joining the department as a patrolman during the first year that the department was established. He did patrol until January, 1905, at which time he was appointed Chief of Police by ex-Mayor Thompson, succeeding Joseph W. Hayden.

Chief Burrell was re-appointed every year by ex-Mayor Thompson during his three years and was appointed each year during the four years administration of ex-Mayor Shea.

At the last annual meeting of the City Council in 1911, the city by referendum vote accepted the act extending the provisions of the civil service law to Chiefs of Police and it was generally supposed that the accepting of this act placed department heads where he could not be easily removed with the change of administration.

Mr. Shea was appointed as general foreman of the street and Water departments by Commissioner Bainbridge during the first year of his term of office which was in 1908 under Mayor Shea. He was employed provisionally at first and was later appointed under the civil service law. He has continued to serve as general foreman ever since.

The case of Chief Burrell is somewhat different from other cases for in the case of the Mayor should prefer charges which he no doubt will do if the resignation asked for is not forthcoming, a hearing will be demanded which is given by the Mayor and if he finds against the Chief, as he naturally will, the Chief may appeal to the judge of the District court.

Such an appeal is provided for under an act of the Legislature passed in 1911. The act referred to is Chapter 624, a part of which reads as follows:

Within ten days after such hearing bringing a petition in the police, district or municipal court, within the judicial district where such person resides, addressed to the justice of the court and praying that the action of the officer or board in removing, suspending, or transferring him be reviewed by the court and after such notice to such officer or board as the court may think necessary, it shall review the action of said officer or board, and hear the witnesses, and shall affirm said order unless it shall appear to the court that without proper cause or in bad faith which case said order shall be reversed and the petitioner be reinstated in his office. The decision of the justice of said police, district or municipal courts shall be final and conclusive.

It would seem, therefore, that under this act, should the Mayor find the charges, which he himself has made, proved and remove Chief Burrell, that the latter has a right to appeal to Judge Avery of the District court which he has done, and in the case of Michael E. Shea, it is understood that he will heed the wishes of the Mayor and tender his resignation as requested.

Next week Thursday afternoon acts two and three of "Measure for Measure" will be read at the meeting of the Atlantic Shakespere Society, with Miss Mary L. Hinkley as chairman of the meeting.

The next meeting of the New England Wheaton Club will be held at 7 o'clock today, at Hotel Vendome, Boston. The speaker will be Dr. J. H. Johnson, Ph. D., of Harvard University, will speak on "Scottish and English Ballads." Each member is needed at every meeting to help make the club year a successful one.

Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick of Chestnut street will be the speaker at the next meeting of the Friday club, Italian contemporary writers—D'Annunzio, Fogazzaro and Verga will be considered.

A. P. Q. CHAPTER.

The New Year's reception given last week Thursday afternoon by Abigail Phillips Chapter, D. A. R. at the home of their regent, Mrs. Edward E. Jameson, 58 Beach street, Wollaston Park, was a most enjoyable affair. Officers of the State Society D. A. R. were the guests of honor and received with Mrs. Jameson, regent and Mrs. L. F. Waterhouse, vice regent. Mrs. W. F. Jones was hostess and assisted by Mrs. James H. Broughton and Mrs. Edward O. Woodward. There was music, and refreshments were served by Mrs. Sayward, Mrs. Damon, Mrs. Chase and Mrs. Barber. Among the 75 present beside the hostess chapter and state officers were members of the D. A. R. and of Adams Chapter D. R. of Quincy.

The regular monthly meeting of the chapter will be held Monday afternoon, Jan. 1 with Mrs. Rufus B. Tobey of 75 Lincoln avenue. Mrs. T. C. Martin of Quincy will read a paper on "Old Weymouth."

QUINCY DAY NURSERY ASSO.

At the annual meeting Tuesday afternoon of the Quincy Day Nursery association the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Mrs. Eugene C. Hultman, Vice President—Mrs. E. E. Jameson, Second Vice President—Mrs. Levi H. Turner.

Treasurer—Mrs. George W. Abele. Financial Secretary—Mrs. Theopile F. Fives at 104 A. M. Sabbath school 12 M. Evening at 7. Seats Free. Everyone welcome.

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Wednesday afternoon members of the Squantum Women's club met at the home of Mrs. Mathew McGrain, Bayside road. A goodly amount of business was transacted. It was voted to hold a winter party this month and Mrs. George Hersey, Trevor street, offered the use of her home. The date decided on is Jan. 23. Mrs. Hersey will be assisted by Mrs. Charles Bostwick and Miss Mildred Hersey. Hundreds of pennies jingled merrily as Mrs. Charles Ramsdell presided over the meeting. Club members and their friends have taken up the work of gathering in the pennies in real earnest and a big showing was made at the meeting. Sadness was cast over the meeting when it was learned that the condition of Mrs. Edward Egar, the club's treasurer for two months, who has been ill for some time is very serious. During the social hour that followed the adjournment of the meeting Mrs. McGrain served a dainty luncheon assisted by Mrs. Louise Holt.

The committee for the Valentine dancing parties, to be held at the benefit of the Quincy Day Nursery have held under way for this season's parties. The Valentine German for children is to be given Saturday afternoon Feb. 14 at Alpha hall. It has been decided to postpone the evening party until the Easter vacation and April 17 has been selected as the date.

The Quincy Catholic Club is giving two whists this month for the benefit of its charity fund, the first next Tuesday at the home of Miss Mary Louise Givin, 23 Irving place and the

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### Notes and Comments.

"Milwaukee" announces an exchange, "is to have a night school for inexperienced wives." Anyhow, there ought to be little chance there for the women to swap experiences.

Austria has government ownership for railroads, and the annual loss from this source is more than \$20,000,000. From which it appears that government ownership works about the same way everywhere.

A Pennsylvania manufacturer wants his young women clerks to promise not to get married within three years. Just how much could you bank on the word of a young woman to stay single after the right man happened along.

Washington would like to see the President inaugurated in April or May to get better weather and there are those who want the job done in January, in order that the newly chosen administration may get busy sooner. The mean of the two dates is about the first week in March, which is where we are.

A Michigan college president declares that no American woman is fit to teach school unless she understands baseball. The women teachers might reply that no American man fit to be college president unless he has common sense.

After running for two weeks, the Lorraine, a twice-a-week newspaper published by the class in journalism at the Spokane, Wash., school, died a sudden death at the hands of the faculty because the editors took so much interest in the newspaper work that they promised to register "finks" in their classes. The Lorraine also put an appreciable crimp in the study of the students as the students much preferred writing live stories from day to day to preparing dry, lack-luster stuff once a month.

For genuine development and progress, see the tango. A first it was looked on as merely a dance of questionable propriety. Now it is regarded in California as a valuable aid in the treatment of the insane, and a Pittsburgh educator recommends it as helpful in teaching mathematics. Evidently we may find the tango collecting taxes, practicing law and whitewashing fences.

Conviction grows that the present administration in Washington had a good press agent. For instance, note the chorle of glee by the postoffice department over the slick way in which the department cleaned up the Christmas rush business. Indeed, not once, but many times are we told that the moved like clockwork; and that in spite of the fact that they had the parcel post business to deal with. The chorle is duly noted by the people, without doubt.—Barre Vt. Times.

A government insurance scheme proposed in France will make it possible for the French workmen to purchase a home of their own and enable him, when he is old, to receive a pension. It is expected that the man will make a deposit in the name of his son, and pay a premium of three cents a day, and his son will be expected to pay the arrears on the cost of the house. The man will receive money payment when he is 25 years old.—Taunton Herald.

Twelve stories above one of the busiest streets in Spokane, Wash., a tennis court, a handball court and one-eight mile promenade are being installed on the roof of the \$2,000,000 Davenport hotel. According to L. M. Davenport, the tennis court will be the only one in the world on a roof higher than ten stories. The courts will be surrounded with high wire netting to keep balls from going over the edge. At night the roof will be illuminated with 40 standards, making play possible at any hour of the day or night.

Half a dozen first offenders were fined in police court for automobile speeding last week in San Francisco. A number of second offenders will be given prison sentences. Since the judges adopted resolutions to fine all first offenders and jail all second offenders, the number of arrests for reckless driving by motorists has been reduced fifty per cent.

With canals on the land, and tunnels under the mountains, there is now to be added a tunnel under the English channel, connecting France and England. This project has had the attention of both these governments for many years, but for engineering reasons, and from a foolish fear that in time of war the existence of such a tunnel would be a menace to one country or another, the plan has never until now got beyond the Panama canal. This may be the next engineering project to attract the attention of the world.—Old Colony Memorial.

With the increase in the weight limit of articles that may be sent by the parcel post, there has been an enumeration of many of the articles handled. These show a wide range, from a seven-foot growth from a tree nursery down to poultry, a bush of vegetables. In considering the multiplicity of things thus admitted to the new branch of the postal service, the wonder must be the more prevalent why books, of all things the average person would deem peculiarly to be brought within the zone of parcel post transportation, are discriminated against.—Salem News.

### CITY INAUGURATION.

The City Government of 1914 was inaugurated at 12 noon Monday in the presence of an audience that more than filled the Council Chamber at City Hall. Thus it has always been the inauguration of a new Mayor, for everybody is anxious to see the final act which follows a strenuous campaign which closed with the municipal election of Dec. 2 last. Every available seat on the floor of the Council Chamber was occupied and extra seats had been brought in for the occasion.

The balcony was bright with color for in the seats were practically all of the lady clerks at City Hall as well as many of the wives and sweethearts of the new Councilmen. A large space was reserved for the accommodation of the special guests of Mayor Miller.

The flag on City Hall was flying all day in honor of the inauguration, and the new Mayor arrived at City Hall just before noon in an automobile trimmed with flags.

The residents desk were many large and handsome bouquets of flowers sent by the admiring friends of the new Mayor, Hon. John L. Miller.

The floral tributes included a large floral horse shoe, an emblem of good luck, from Col. H. L. Kincaid; a massive bouquet from Temple A. Winslow; a bouquet of pink roses from the lady clerks at City Hall, and other bouquets.

The only Councilman to receive a bouquet was Councilman Williams, who received a handsome bunch of red roses.

The exercises varied but little from those which have characterized inaugurations of the past. It lacked hardly a minute of the hour of noon when the inaugural party entered the Chamber by the rear stairway, led by City Messenger who has performed that duty for the past twenty-five years. The Chamberlain, day, Rev. Joseph Walther of the Wollaston Baptist church, City Clerk Emory L. Crane, Mayor Stone and Mayor-elect Miller were in the party. By this time the members of the City Council had assumed seats in the semi-circle facing the Mayor's desk, and as the inaugural party entered there was a round of applause.

As soon as the clock struck 12 and as the last stroke died away Rev. Mr. Walther offered a fervent prayer.

Our new Mayor has a sincerity of purpose. We believe in him. We pray that he may not himself waver. That his appointees may give good service, and the administration of 1914 may be the best administration of the city. May we serve God at all times. The City Clerk turning to Mayor-elect Miller administered the oath of office.

The City Clerk then called the roll of the City Council; after recording the names to arise while the oath of office was administered.

Turning to the audience the City Clerk then said: "This honor Mayor Miller." This was the signal for another round of applause, and after it had subsided the Mayor delivered his inaugural address which will be found in another column.

The Council proceeded to organization by the election of Joseph L. Whiton, his election being unanimous. He was sworn in as Mayor-elect, and stepped to the desk of the Clerk of Council.

In accepting the office President Whiton spoke briefly thanking the members for the confidence reposed in him, and promised to preside over the deliberations of the year in a fair and impartial manner.

The organization of the Council was then completed by the election of the following officers, the election in each case being unanimous.

Clerk of Council.—George T. Magee.  
Clerk of Committees.—George T. Magee.  
City Messenger.—Harry W. Tirrell.  
City Auditor.—Henry O. Fairbanks.  
The clerk was sworn in and assumed his office.

### RULES ADOPTED.

The next business was the drawing for seats. By vote of the Council the members of last years City Council were allowed to retain the seats occupied last year.

The rules of the Council of 1913 were adopted as the rules of the Council of 1914.

The organization was now completed and the Council ready to transact any business that came before it.

Several communications were received from the Mayor appointing all of the following officers, the election in each case being unanimous.

Under the head of petitions several were received for minor licenses including a license as an auctioneer for Charles H. Johnson recently the Republican candidate for Mayor, which was granted.

The Telephone Company presented a petition for attachments, as did also the Street Railway Co., both of which were granted.

A petition of the street railway company for a location of poles was referred to the Street Committee.

Under matters, orders, and the following orders were offered:

Authorizing the Mayor to sign deeds and leases of the Adams Temple and School Fund. Adopted.

Authorizing the Mayor to have the annual reports printed. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Authorizing the Mayor to have the Calendar and copies of the rules printed. Adopted.

Councilman Ross offered a resolve and order to the effect, that it appeared by the records of the Registrars of Voters that Alexander Cowe who had been elected as a Councilman from Ward Three was not qualified to serve under the charter, which provides that no one shall be eligible for that office who has not been a citizen of the United States for at least one year, and that Mr. Cowe be given an opportunity to appear before the Council.

Yours very truly,  
(Signed) Eugene R. Stone,  
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### RECENT DEATHS.

Two aged residents of this city passed away Tuesday. Mrs. Mary G. Harte of 18 Clark avenue, Atlantic in her 74th year and Mrs. Sarah Nesbit of 16 Prospect avenue, Wollaston in her 80th year.

Mrs. Harte was the wife of Albion A. Harte and leaves one daughter, Mrs. James Smith. Funeral services will be held at her home on Tuesday afternoon and Rev. Henry Cunningham, former pastor of Quincy will officiate.

Mrs. Nesbit was the widow of George T. Nesbit and has resided in Wollaston for many years. She leaves one son and one daughter.

### CITY COUNCIL BANQUET.

Corporation, was the general theme of all the speakers at the annual inauguration day banquet Monday night at the American house, Boston or it might fittingly be called the annual reunion of City Councilmen and City Officials of the present and of past years.

It was more like a large family gathering, the differences of the election forgotten and all ready to work for those things that will benefit the city which they call their home.

There were nearly seventy who gathered about the tables in the crystal dining room, the tables being laid in the form of a horseshoe, an emblem of good luck. That Mayor Miller will have the support of all present and that all will co-operate for the betterment of the city seems assured.

### STANDING COMMITTEES.

Before adjourning President Whiton announced the standing committees of the Council. This year an unusual situation arose. Under the rules no member can be obliged to serve on more than two committees. Certain of the committees require that they shall be made up of one member at large and one member from each ward. In order to carry out this provision it was necessary that one member from Ward One should serve on three committees. Councilman Ericson consented to do this so that it will be seen by the following lists that he will serve on the Finance, Streets and Sewer, and Committees.

Finance, Accounts, Claims, Contracts and Salaries.—Ballou, Hadlock, Thompson, Little, Griffin, Ericson, Ross.

Streets, Ways, Sidewalks, Bridges and Lights.—Gillatt, Beaman, Ericson, O'Dowd, Nelson, Williams.

Public Buildings and Grounds.—Gillatt, Barker, Bass, Carlson, Ordinance, Licenses, Printing, Rules and Orders.—Beaman, Thompson, Sodergren, Corcoran, Barrows, Richards and member from Ward Three.

Fire Department and Police.—Ross, Gillatt, O'Dowd, Nelson, Williams.

Health, Poor, and Soldiers' Relief.—Little, Carlson, Richards.

The President referred the various matters sent over from last year to their several committees.

Contrary to general expectations Mayor Miller did not make any appointments to the various city offices.

The meeting of the new City Council was unique in one respect as it was probably the first time in the history of the City Government of Quincy that it has not been necessary to adjourn at 11 o'clock on the day of its first meeting.

The City Treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of taxes. This year it is found that there is a cash balance on hand of \$1,145,000, which is enough to take care of the first temporary note of \$75,000 which comes due on Feb. 11, which leaves \$70,000 for current expenses, in addition to what taxes and water rates may be collected in the mean time. It is probable however that a temporary loan order will soon be necessary.

The list of constables appointed by Mayor H. is noticed that the name of Charles H. Johnson who was one of Mayor Miller's opponents at the recent election was not appointed, although Mr. Johnson has received such an appointment for many years and does a large constable business.

### MAJOR STONE'S RECORD.

Hon. Eugene R. Stone, the retiring Mayor, is entitled to more credit than many have been willing to accord to him for the greatly improved condition of the city finances. The figures which Mr. Stone presents in an open letter to Mayor Miller are authentic and encouraging. Not for many years previous to 1913 was there a reduction in the debt of the city, but the administration of Mayor Stone accomplished it by curtailing the new loans and at the same time keeping within all appropriations. A reduction of the debt means less for interest.

The letter is given in full: Hon. John L. Miller, Quincy, Massachusetts: Dear Sir:—I wish to call your attention to the financial condition of the city at the close of my administration.

The debt on January 1, 1912, was \$2,294,896.46. The debt on December 31, 1913, was \$1,953,945.00 showing a decrease of \$340,951.46 during the year.

The net valuation of the city for three years is \$35,297,371.00 which gives the city a borrowing limit of \$882,424.

Our municipal debt on December 31, 1913, was \$602,445.00, which gives the city a borrowing capacity of \$279,989.00 which I am pleased to inform you is the largest in the history of the city.

The net valuation of 1913 is \$36,719,980.00 which yields \$140,629.75 that can be used for the budget and which is about \$20,000 more than has ever before been available in any year to pay the current expenses of the city.

From the best information available, each of the departments is being turned over to you without a deficit, and in most cases with a substantial balance. A most unusual occurrence in the history of Quincy.

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Then there were other familiar airs, yet through all there was a touch of sadness as it was remembered that on previous occasions of this kind it was ex-Councilman Moir who led the singing and that since the last gathering he had passed to the great beyond. Reference to Mr. Moir was made by several speakers and several paid tribute to ex-Mayor William T. Shea, who had also recently joined the great majority.

The dinner was an excellent one. The carnations that ornamented the coat table, were sent to City Hall during the afternoon, for the occasion by Perry Green. The menu:

The dinner over and cigars lighted, President Whiton rapped for order and everybody settled back to enjoy the feast of reason and of good cheer. President Whiton said that he was glad to welcome all and hoped that they were having a good time. That is what we are here for. There may be some things said, but he hoped that no one would take offense or take it as personal, but with the spirit of good fellowship, they were all faces are missing, ex-Mayor Shea and ex-Councilman Moir, and no one more deeply regretted their absence than he. The first speaker of the evening was then introduced.

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was received with a rising burst of applause. He said that it was his pleasure a few days ago to attend a banquet where the grain had been winnowed so this selection, but the pure wheat remained, they were all Miller friends and supporters. But from appearances he took it they were all his hearty friends tonight.

Our faces are turned to a new year. Everyone has visions to do all possible things for the city, and they only hoped that they were able to accomplish a great deal. Let us get together in Quincy and be Quincy, and always have a good word for Quincy.

He believed in drawing together of the people, because now so many say, "Quincy is a good place, but always that 'b' new industry must be a Hercules to convince the cliques in Quincy that they have a good thing. They must have the support of the banks and until we get together we cannot expect to accomplish much. In closing he said that he hoped all would try and pull together for Quincy.

Other speakers who were reported at length in the Daily Ledger of Tuesday were: ex-Mayor Stone, ex-President Ralph W. Hobbs, Councilman Bailey, City Solicitor McAnarney, Senator Langueier, ex-Representative Sullivan, Representative Fairbanks, Dock Commissioner Crane, Commissioner of Public Works Tupper and President Hamilton of the Board of Trade.

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Then there were other familiar airs, yet through all there was a touch of sadness as it was remembered that on previous occasions of this kind it was ex-Councilman Moir who led the singing and that since the last gathering he had passed to the great beyond. Reference to Mr. Moir was made by several speakers and several paid tribute to ex-Mayor William T. Shea, who had also recently joined the great majority.

The dinner was an excellent one. The carnations that ornamented the coat table, were sent to City Hall during the afternoon, for the occasion by Perry Green. The menu:

The dinner over and cigars lighted, President Whiton rapped for order and everybody settled back to enjoy the feast of reason and of good cheer. President Whiton said that he was glad to welcome all and hoped that they were having a good time. That is what we are here for. There may be some things said, but he hoped that no one would take offense or take it as personal, but with the spirit of good fellowship, they were all faces are missing, ex-Mayor Shea and ex-Councilman Moir, and no one more deeply regretted their absence than he. The first speaker of the evening was then introduced.

### MAJOR MILLER.

was received with a rising burst of applause. He said that it was his pleasure a few days ago to attend a banquet where the grain had been winnowed so this selection, but the pure wheat remained, they were all Miller friends and supporters. But from appearances he took it they were all his hearty friends tonight.

Our faces are turned to a new year. Everyone has visions to do all possible things for the city, and they only hoped that they were able to accomplish a great deal. Let us get together in Quincy and be Quincy, and always have a good word for Quincy.

He believed in drawing together of the people, because now so many say, "Quincy is a good place, but always that 'b' new industry must be a Hercules to convince the cliques in Quincy that they have a good thing. They must have the support of the banks and until we get together we cannot expect to accomplish much. In closing he said that he hoped all would try and pull together for Quincy.

Other speakers who were reported at length in the Daily Ledger of Tuesday were: ex-Mayor Stone, ex-President Ralph W. Hobbs, Councilman Bailey, City Solicitor McAnarney, Senator Langueier, ex-Representative Sullivan, Representative Fairbanks, Dock Commissioner Crane, Commissioner of Public Works Tupper and President Hamilton of the Board of Trade.

The Quincy General Teamdrivers Union, local 305, elected and installed on Tuesday evening Alex Craig as president, Joseph Lemieux as vice president; J. J. Lyon, as Recording Secretary; A. Trotman, as Secretary-Treasurer; S. Webster as trustee for three years. Those called for two years and Charles Johnson for one year.

A social and entertainment followed the business meeting, the program being given by members of the organization.

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DEDHAM, MASS.

STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1913.

Amount at Risk, \$20,018,701.18  
Cash Assets, \$182,310.25  
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance), \$20,201,011.43  
Amount of Cash Surplus, \$18,722.50  
Contingent Assets, \$28,062.60  
Total Available Assets, \$18,750.10

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Cash Assets, \$182,310.25  
Total Liabilities, \$20,201,011.43  
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## PRIDE OF QUINCY LODGE.

The officers of the Pride of Quincy lodge, No. 443, Independent Order of the B'nai B'rith, were installed Sunday evening in the vestry of the Congregational Church on School street by District Deputy Max Ruscov of Brockton, assisted by David Falk, A. Freedman, K. Riser, H. Levine, Max Haffter and Louis Altman, also of Brockton. Remarks on the govt of the order were made by the officers and visitors. Several new members were admitted, the total membership now being one hundred. Refreshments were served by the committee in charge.

The following were installed:

President, George Swartz.

Vice President, Benjamin Rappaport.

Recording Secretary, Joseph B. Grossman.

Financial Secretary, Jacob Kadetz.

Treasurer, Louis Berman.

Inside Guard, A. S. Berkovitz.

Trustee, Henry Lichtman, Max Cooper and Max Peven.

Conductor, Louis Stone.

## J. HAROLD RICHARDS.

J. Harold Richards, son of ex-Councilman John R. Richards, whose funeral was held on Sunday afternoon from the home of his parents, 215 Centre street, was given one of the largest tributes ever accorded a young man in this city. Friends from all parts of Quincy were present and among them were the members of the Makaria Association and the Redmen Athletic Association with whom he was affiliated.

The floral remembrances were many. Eighteen hacks were required to transport those that attended. The tributes were from friends in all parts of the state.

Services were conducted by Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, pastor of the Bethany Congregational church. His eulogy of the young man was eloquent and moved many to tears. During the services selections were rendered by the Granite City quartette which sang, "Nearer My God to Thee," "We Shall Meet Beyond the River," and "The Vacant Chair."

The mourners were all young friends of the young man, and among them was Robert Farguhar the companion of the deceased who offered himself when physicians held out that life could only be prolonged through transfusion of blood. The others were Arthur Allan, Alfred Hanson Gilbert Booth, Walter E. Piper, Jr., T. Willard Burke, John Anderson and Elmer Peterson.

Further proofs of the big man's thoughtfulness were forthcoming that same evening on returning to the boarding place she was met by a smiling landlady.

"See what's come for you, Miss Vandevere!" The woman triumphantly held up a basket of delicious fruit.

"Who sent it?" Betty asked, searching for a card.

None was to be found and Mrs. Frytt could only tell her that the basket had been left by a messenger boy. Not

LOVE BESIDE THE FIRE.

Denis A. McCarthy.

The pride of autumn fades away on wooded vale and hill.

The days are growing grayer and the nights are growing chill.

Then, hey for home, and happy eyes, and joys that never tire!

We'll face the worst when winter brings, with love beside the fire!

Oh, sweet as youth the springtime was, and fair were summer's bowers.

And gaily glowed the pageantry of autumn's golden hours.

With sadness from the hills we saw their sunlit days retire.

But winter brings us back again to love beside the fire!

So bolt the door against the blast and start the cheerful blaze.

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## BETTY AND THE BEAR.

And this young giant from the woolly West was her employer. Betty gave an involuntary gasp. He was so elemental, so unlike any one with whom she had ever come into close personal contact before.

"I've dubbed him the Bear," Mr. Henderson, whose desk was next to her own, confided to her. "He's straight from the Rockies, you know. And then he is so big, so brutish, so ungainly. Looks as much out of place in a New York office as a bull in a china shop."

Henderson himself was slender, handsome, polished, calculating of attire. Betty's glance rested upon his smug, clean shaven face approvingly. His well bred tones were indescribably soothing after the hoarse rumble of Mr. Sterling's deep bass. She was rejoiced to find one congenial person in this place, where the failure and sudden death of her father had left her stranded.

"There are reduced gentlemen as well as reduced gentlemen," she thought, with a feeling of womanly sympathy for him that later on found expression in unexpected ways.

For instance, although short to courtship for her employer, she would linger after hours, she would sit with Henderson and even permitted him to take her out to dinner once or twice.

One day when they were alone in the office Henderson swung around in his revolving chair and said abruptly:

"Miss Vandevere, did I ever strike you as a bit strange that the Bear should have given you the best berth in the office? This is your first experience, and good stenographers are as plenty as blackberries."

"Are they?" Betty answered. "I didn't know."

"Do you mind telling me how you happened to apply to him?"

"I received a marked copy of his advertisement and wrote immediately, asking for the place."

"H'm! And got an answer by return mail, saying you might report for duty?"

"Why—yes—so I did. Is that so very surprising?"

"Oh, no," Henderson meditated a moment, a queer little spark flashing into his eyes. "See here! I'm going to tell you something," he announced abruptly. "The Bear is in love with you."

"Absurd!" Betty cried, reddening painfully.

"I know the signs. Watch him. You'll see for yourself. Can't come nigh you without flushing and trembling. Genuine case of love at first sight. I guess he knew what he was about when he took you into his employ."

"How can you say such things?"

Suddenly a key clicked in the lock. Betty heard him sigh as he went out. Hastily locking the door on the inside, she withdrew the key and returned to her seat.

An hour dragged by. Now there were shadows everywhere. The corners were black with them. She felt a suffocating terror as if the walls were contracting and might shut together and crush her.

Suddenly a key clicked in the lock. She had barely time to drop behind a chair before a man tiptoed into the office. As he passed by her hiding place the light from the street struck across his face. For a minute she ceased to breathe. He went hurriedly on to the inner room, and after a little while a gentle clicking told her that he was working the combination of the safe.

Now was her chance! Quaking with fright, she crept to the door opening on the landing. One quick step and she was outside. Then the unexpected happened. A door of light suddenly flung open. The darkness. She saw that the passage was full of policemen. And she had rushed straight into Mr. Sterling's arms!

"You! Oh, no! So glad!" she gasped hysterically. "Quick! The safe! You are being robbed, Henderson!"

"What's the matter? If you had already dashed past into the office. There was the sound of a struggle, then a voice shrieking dreadful curses—the same voice she had once thought so comforting and refined."

"I overheard—this afternoon," Sterling said quietly. "I had grown suspicious before. If you really love him he shall not free."

"Love him? Oh, no!" Betty cried with her face hidden on the big man's shoulder. "I didn't know until this afternoon whom I loved, but I do now!"—JAMES A. COREY.

## JAMES D. MULLIN.

The funeral of James D. Mullin, beloved husband of Laura Mullin, was held at 419 Granite street Monday morning.

A high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Mary's church by Rev. William J. Duffy, curate. The Gregorian chant was sung by the regular choir. Burial was in St. Francis Xavier cemetery in Weymouth. The services were well attended and there were many handsome floral tributes.

Who next? "I'd be more than pleased to have you use it."

Betty's breath had stopped, and she recovered it with difficulty.

"Thank you very much, Mr. Sterling," she said icily, "but I must decline to take advantage of your kindness."

She fled with her cheeks, but at heart she was not so angry as she tried to make herself believe. She knew intuitively that the offer had not been prompted so much by a desire to win favor as by real solicitude for her welfare.

Further proofs of the big man's thoughtfulness were forthcoming that same evening on returning to the boarding place she was met by a smiling landlady.

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## NEW YORK SOCIAL GAIETY.

The Vogue of Taffeta—Tiny Hats With Pecky Brims—The Fitch Craze—Amber Necklaces.

With the coming of the New Year the social whirl here is at its fastest pace, so between this and Lent, the greatest demands are made upon one's festive attire. Taffeta is very much used for pretty frocks and smart blouses, and as this indicates the trend of style for the coming season, clever planners are investing in these for present use knowing that they will last over well. In black and in medium dark colorings, tobacco brown, blue green and amethyst and in changeable weaves these make serviceable and pretty afternoon frocks, while white taffeta is the tip of the mode for more dressy wear. This is especially fetching made up with that touch of dark fur which continues to be the favorite trimming device.

## LAMP TUNIC STYLES.

Taffeta lends itself especially well to the various "lamp" tunic styles that caught on in such varied forms, and needs none of the wiring or other artificial aids that have been employed for lace overskirts. Puffed effects in front to three layers with price edges gathered and turned under are smartly endorsed, and rival in popularity the mitres or scallops or pointed finishes that have been worn by the fashionable set since late in the summer. As usual when taffeta frocks are in vogue considerable use is made of self trimmings. Bias stripes of the silk are used for binding the various cut edges of the tunics, and cordings and shirrings and draperies make all the needed garniture, except for the neck finishings, which are usually of fine lace and with one or two detachable bands. After the practical and pretty style that has met with universal approbation.

## NECK FININGS.

These gamps are an important feature at every up-to-date neckwear counter, and they are in style with price edges everyone's taste and need. They offer great opportunity for pretty home work to women who have leisure and taste in turning out small belongings. It is wonderful how the smart shirring and gamps with their upstanding ruffles, and Medici collars transform a simple blouse into one of ornate becomingness. The front of the throat is rarely covered, though many women use little gamps of plain net with smoothed fitted collars to afford a little protection or concealment of times ravages. Necklaces especially those of graduated amber beads are very popular to the touch of yellow which is reckoned smart.

## THE FITCH CRAZE.

This accounts also for the craze for the fitch. The fitch which is seen on nearly every other toilet, especially among the younger contingent, though not by any means confined to them.

Little sets consisting of just a short collar and cuffs are shown by C. C. Shayne & Co., and other high grade furriers here. Such sets have the demand been for this soft yellow felt that the price has been considerably advanced on the lighter Russian skins. Early in the season the darker German fitch was quite a bit more expensive, now the demand for the amber shade has made them even in price. Aside from this fur everything has, as usual, come tumbling down in price. Beautiful model coats of ermine, seal, mole, and broadtail embodying the latest lines and most elaborate cuts and garnitures can be had for a third less than before Christmas. As usual, our coldest weather is just now beginning. Medium grade and more practical coats and small furs are proportionately reduced. Soft gray moleskin and dyed muskrat sets which only the expert can distinguish from seal are especially attractive.

## TINY HATS.

Tiny hats with crowns of metal lace, and little brims that turn up in saucy points above either ear, have a touch of fitch or other fur in their trimming, and little round Cosack turbans, their high, upstanding brims constructed of velvet or tulle are exceedingly smart just now. Where these are all of velvet, the brim is laid in shallow bow pleats with small sprays of paradise tacked in between. The tulle backed turbans have a band of fancy jet at the base which is most effective above a prettily arranged coiffure.

Rosalind May.

New York, Jan. 5, 1914.

## EVERYBODY AT CHURCH.

Everybody-Go-To-Church Sunday was very successful in bringing out large congregations, especially at the morning services. In several of the churches the capacity was reached and some were turned away. It was a red-letter day which will be productive of good.

Fully two thousand people attended the four services at Bethany on Everybody-Go-To-Church Sunday, and many were unable to obtain admission at the regular morning and evening services. By count there were 712 in the morning and 681 in the evening. At the session of the Bible school there were 521, and nearly 100 at the Christian Endeavor meeting.

The attendance at the Unitarian church was a record-breaker, about 500 attending the Sunday morning service.

Nearly 800 people attended the Sunday services at Christ Episcopal church, the attendance at the morning and evening services being about equally divided. In the morning Rev. Richard E. Armstrong, rector, preached on "Religion and community needs."

At the Universalist church on Sunday a good sized audience listened to the interesting services. The pastor Rev. Merrill C. Ward gave an eloquent sermon and the solos by Miss Edith Hyland and J. Edward Greene were most pleasing.

The Rev. James A. Matheson of the First Presbyterian church preached to two large and appreciative congregations that filled the large audience room to its greatest capacity. The day will be long remembered as a "red letter" day. Rev. Matheson's intensely interesting, the music splendid and interest marked. Everybody-came-to-church and everybody-wants-to-keep-coming.

It was the semi-annual communion day at the First Church of Christ Scientist and Alpha hall was filled with an attendance of 400. There was no session of the Sunday school.

The attendance at the services of the Swedish Baptist church Sunday were very large, especially in the morning when the pastor Rev. Paul Hallin gave an eloquent sermon on "A cause for great joy," which with the usual good music, combined to make a service inspiring and uplifting to all. The spirit of the "Go-to-church" movement was very apparent and it is hoped will be continued on the Sundays to come.

The attendance at the Swedish Lutheran church on Granite street on Sunday was rivalled only by the numbers which thronged the edifice on Christmas morning. In the morning there were 300 or more present and in the evening about 150.

Everybody-go-to-church Sunday found large and attentive audience at the Baptist church at Wollaston all services. The theme of the sermon by the pastor Rev. Geo. M. Bailey in the morning was, "Man, His Place and Importance."

At the Wollaston Unitarian church the congregations at both the morning and the twilight hour services were large. The scripture readings, the responsive readings from the psalms, the hymns were all in keeping with "Everybody-Go-To-Church Sunday."

The attendance at the different churches was:

A. M. P. M.  
Bethany Cong. 712 681  
First Parish 500 400  
Christ Episcopal 410 390  
Universalist 400 125  
Quincy Presb. 165 160  
First Presbyterian 550 550  
United Presbyterian 100 200  
Calvary Baptist 75 100  
Swedish Lutheran 290 150  
Swedish Cong. 250 150  
Swedish Methodist 225 250  
Swedish Baptist 200 125  
Finnish Cong. 400 150  
Wall Place M. E. 200 125  
Wall, Unitarian 175 200  
Woll. Congregational 225 200  
Woll. Baptist 250 150  
Wollaston Methodist 150 200  
St. Chrysostom 200 90  
Park and Downs 450 400  
Atlantic Memorial 325 175  
Atlantic M. E. 150 125

\*—Full capacity.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 1914

## FAVOR NEW CHURCH.

At the annual meeting of the Wollaston Congregational church Wednesday evening it was formally voted to proceed with the erection of a new stone church and parish house to cost \$50,000.

It was further voted to erect the parish house portion as soon as funds are secured and that the remainder of the church be built as soon as finances warrant.

The parish house as proposed will provide quarters greatly needed for the increasing Sunday school and will better allow the operation of the many social activities in connection with the church societies.

The following officers were elected: Deacon—(To serve for four years) Alfred W. Thompson.

Deacon—(To serve for three years) George A. Smith.

Clerk—Charles F. West.

Treasurer—Louis S. Bugbee.

Superintendent of Sabbath School—Charles A. Campbell.

Moderator—Charles P. Hutchins.

Executive Committee—Henry C. Smalley, Barnabas H. Bain.

Prudential Committee—(For Three Years) George W. Stone.

(For Two Years) Edward S. Tenney and the Clerk and Treasurer.

Musical Committee—Chester I. Campbell, William A. Mann, Mrs. Amos T. Leavitt.

The meeting opened with the reading of the warrant by the clerk, Charles F. West and prayer by Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D., the pastor.

Reports were read by the treasurer, Louis S. Bugbee, the collector, George H. Murray and the auditor, Charles E. Hathaway.

George W. Stone reported the budget for the prudential committee. Among its items were provisions for a \$100 increase in the pastors salary and an appropriation of \$1200 for music.

By vote of those present other reports were referred to the prayer meeting of next week Thursday.

Reports were received from Charles A. Campbell for the plans committee and Rufus B. Tobey for the finance committee in connection with the proposed new edifice.

Charles A. Campbell brought the recommendations from the plans committee that the parish house part of the project be erected first at a cost of \$24,500.

Rufus B. Tobey reported his committee recommended that the church proceed with the erection of a parish house and that a finance committee be appointed to take charge of the finances.

After an evening of lengthy discussion it was voted to adopt the recommendations of the plans committee, continue both committees in office, add Messrs Carlisle and Whitman to the plans committee and refer the entire matter to a special meeting to be held March 4.

A collection was taken to send flowers to Mrs. Charles L. Seavey, who lies sick in a Boston hospital. It was voted to apply the annual donation of Theophilus King to the Sunday school.

After a further report of the finance committee showing a substantial amount of pledges for the new edifice, the meeting adjourned.

Preceding the meeting a supper was served in the vestry by the women of the church.

## WINTER MEETING.

At the Congregational church, Braintree, Tuesday, Jan. 27th, Norfolk and Pilgrim Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society will hold its winter meeting. In connection there will be held in the morning an Institute of the Woman's Board, to be presided over by Miss Calder, Home Secretary of the Woman's Board of Missions.

A number of these Institutes have been held in Massachusetts in response to suggestions in The King's Business, the Interdenominational Miss Study book for this year and have been both interesting and helpful.

Miss Isabel M. Blake, finance officer, will speak both morning and afternoon. Attention is specially called to the luncheon hour when these toasts will be presented: Money Enough, Women Enough, Time Enough; to be responded to by Mrs. H. W. Boyd of East Bridgewater; Mrs. Tyler Gale of South Braintree; and Mrs. Frank L. Kelley of Brockton.

## BRIEFS

Arthur W. Harris of Whitney road is in Chicago on a business trip.

Edward B. Riley of the Quincy Beef Co., has returned from an extended western trip.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by Mrs. C. Alice Litchfield of Brookline, housekeeper; liabilities \$950 and no assets.

Miss Bessie Diamond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Diamond of Grafton street was hostess at a party given in honor of her fourth birthday by her little friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Spooner went over to New York last week to attend the automobile show and are now at Jacksonville, Florida.

The Charles A. Howland estate on Adams street was sold to Mrs. Michael E. Cook of Goffe street, who buys for investment and will begin alterations at once on the house.

Feb. 1 is the date selected for the annual banquet and ladies night of the Quincy Board of Trade, which will be held at Alpha hall. An early application should be made for tickets.

The alarm from Box 124 on Brooks avenue, near the home of Mrs. Adams on Adams street was false. It was the second time within a week that the fire department had been sent on a wild goose chase.

Miss Gertrude Elizabeth Allen soprano, Miss Eva Crosby Koloff, violinist and Mrs. Henry Berton Violoncello accompanist are giving a recital Wednesday evening February fourth in Colonial hall.

The Henry D. Murray Company of Quincy has been incorporated for \$5000 with Henry D. Murray, John Pearson and Hannah Pearson as promoters, to do a granite and marble business.

George A. Brackett of this city was one of the ninety personal friends of the late Horace G. Wadleigh of Boston, who will receive \$100 each as a legacy. The legacy is given "as a souvenir or slight token of remembrance and esteem."

Mrs. Charlotte H. Atkins, mother of Mrs. Charles W. Miller, died of pneumonia, Wednesday morning after an illness of two days at the home of her daughter on Cherry avenue.

The funeral and interment will be in South Amherst, Mass.

Word has been received from Helena, Montana, of the death Jan. 5 of Georgiana Twombly, wife of Nathan Twombly both formerly of Milton, Mass. Twombly being the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Twombly of School street. She is an aunt of Mrs. Carlisle C. Lane of Presidents hill.

Many Swedish residents attended the funeral of Clara S. Lagerstrom, wife of John Lagerstrom, which was held at her home, 24 Gotthard street, on Sunday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. A. G. Sporgren of the Swedish Congregational church. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Miss Elizabeth J. Corlew of Beacon street, Brookline announces the engagement of her niece Miss Juliet Snow Corlew to Griffith Hatton Riddle of Lanark road, Brookline. Miss Corlew and her niece are well known in Quincy, Miss Corlew having had classes in dancing here for several years.

The first of a series of social dancing parties by the Scandinavian Socialist Club, recently organized in this city, was given in Electa hall on Saturday evening. Dancing was enjoyed to music furnished by an orchestra of mandolins, accordions, cornets and violins, played by members. The committee was John Haggblom, Carl Bonivier and Alfred Mattson.

A parents' night and social evening was held in Christ Church parish house on Jan. 9th by the seventh grade of the Sunday School, Cynthia Elizabeth Curtis, teacher. This was the first of its kind in the history of the Sunday School and proved a great success. There was an audience of about thirty, which was probably lessened by the inclemency of the weather. Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Newton were the guests of the evening.

Abbie H. Holbrook, wife of William O. Holbrook, died at the home of Dr. W. Porter Pratt on Tuesday, Jan. 13, at her 68th year. She is survived by her husband and several children. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon from her home at 1126 Hancock street. Services were conducted by Rev. Harry Grimes of the First Congregational church at Braintree. Burial was in Hingham.

The speaker of the monthly meeting of the First Parish club next Tuesday evening will be T. Phillip Terry, whose subject will be Mexico, which the eyes of the world are now watching. Mr. Terry, who is an author, has lived in Mexico for several years and is familiar with its people and customs. He will speak at 8 o'clock in the informal hall supper, which will be the usual one of hot roast beef.

The Quincy High School basketball team won its first out-of-town game Friday, Jan. 9, by defeating Reading High at Reading 23 to 28. Including the local team, but itself in second place in the Intercollegiate League standing. The game was fast, and in spite of the small floor space of the Reading gymnasium, both teams showed good team work. Reading suffered considerably by having twelve fouls called against them, to six against Quincy.

Mrs. Eben Caldwell Stanwood nee Annie Wheeler, of Commonwealth avenue, Boston has sent out invitations for a dance in the ballroom of the Tueries, on the evening of Friday, Jan. 20, from 8 until 11.30 o'clock. The dance is in compliment to Miss Faith Stanwood, Mrs. Stanwood's younger daughter, and antedates her sixteenth birthday, which will be in Lent. Only the girls who will make their debut with Miss Stanwood two or three winters hence, and her boy friends, have been invited.

The alarm from Box 26 Wednesday morning called the fire apparatus to slight fire in the barber shop of Paul Gencila at 14 Saville street. The fire was caused by the overheating of a small cast iron stove, setting fire to the wood work about the chimney. The upper part of the building and the Chinese laundry at the other end of the building were filled with smoke, but the fire damage was very slight. The alarm brought apparatus from Quincy Point and the Atlantic and chemical, in addition to the Central Station apparatus.

Honors are coming thick and fast to officers of the Quincy court. Both the Police, District and Municipal courts clerks association as well as the Massachusetts Court Officers Association held their annual meetings in Boston on Wednesday night at the Revere house, although in separate rooms.

At the meeting of the former association Lawrence W. Lyons of the district court was elected as president, and at the latter association William M. Marden, court officer at the Quincy court, was re-elected as president.

The Court Officers association voted to petition the legislature for amendment to the present law increasing the annual vacation of the court officers from 15 to 30 days each year.

## BRIEFS

Herbert D. Cole, with C. F. Pettengill, attended the four days' optician's convention in Boston this week.

The date of the annual parish meeting of Christ church is Wednesday, Jan. 28.

Miss Hortense Andrews returned to her home in Lovell, Maine, yesterday after a holiday visit with friends in this city.

The Universalist Mission circle is to meet Monday afternoon at two o'clock with Mrs. John P. Hyland of 69 Grand View avenue.

Mrs. Catherine Reed, mother of Frank A. Reed, treasurer of the Quincy co-operative bank, died Tuesday at her home in Dorchester.

Committees of Quincy lodge of Elks are busy with the plans for the seventh annual charity ball which will be held at Music hall on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 11.

Charles Sampson of Dixwell avenue took a second prize for his red mottled or rosewing Carneau cocks at the Boston poultry show.

William Kelley of this city is a member of the Democratic State Committee of 1914 which organized on Thursday by the choice of Michael A. O'Leary of Cambridge as chairman.

Amer Tewksbury, one of the pensioners at the Sailors Snug Harbor, died Tuesday aged 72 years. He was for many years engaged in the old clipper vessel trading. His body was taken to Woodlawn for burial.

Lysander S. Richards and daughter, Miss Eleanor Richards who have been staying at 1004 Massachusetts avenue since going to Washington a few weeks ago are now located at Hotel Harris.

Nine tables were in play Wednesday evening at the weekly whist tournament of the Granite City club. The two best scores were made by Nathan Ellis and Fred H. Whittemore. As local referees they served at the close of the tournament.

The George L. Gill Associates held a winter party in Old Fellows hall Thursday afternoon. Several tables were in play. The winners were William R. Thomas, Mrs. J. Kenly, Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. E. E. Field and Mrs. Mary Phelan.

The body of James Lewis, who died and was buried in Providence, R. I. two years ago, has been removed from there and brought to this city for burial in Mt. Wollaston cemetery. Undertaker Fay who removed the remains made the trip in his auto.

Dr. Richard Barton is to lecture at the Quincy Mission school in Livermore hall, Jan. 21. Rev. John Sanborn will speak on the "American Indian" Feb. 1; and Frank Spaight is to give a Dickens recital Feb. 16.

John Willard is extending invitations to the friends of the school.

John Morgan, a leather salesman of Boston who has the record of having made a million dollar sale to the Russian government is to address the Gardner club of Christ church Thursday evening, the third lecture in the series of business principles and methods.

Mrs. Hannah D. Allen of Woodward avenue left this week with her two youngest children for Berkeley, California, where she will join her son, Herbert. Her sons, Richard and Walter, remain East, the former in Wollaston and the latter in New York City.

The degree staff of John Hancock lodge, I. O. O. F., accompanied by many members, exemplified the first degree on a class of candidates for Mt. Wollaston lodge in their rooms in the Adams building Tuesday evening. A collation was served and remarks were delivered by the visitors and members.

One of the most delightful affairs that Wollaston people are looking forward to is the concert to be given in the school hall, Friday evening Jan. 30, by the Wollaston Woman's club chorus. The chorus will be assisted by Harold Tripp, tenor, Miss Lucile Adams, reader, and the Wollaston Glee Club.

The interest of many athletes of the high school centers in the indoor title games that will be held in Mechanics hall, Boston, on Feb. 28. The affair has received the approval of the board of managers of the New England A. A. U. Several local runners are to compete, and it is possible that Quincy High will be represented by a relay team.

Announcement comes from Belfast, Maine of the management of Rev. Charles Bulkeley Ames, pastor of the First Parish Unitarian church and Miss Marian Wells also of Belfast. Mr. Ames previous to going to Maine was assistant pastor of the First Parish of Quincy and has many friends here who are extending congratulations.

Seven members of Rev. Merrill C. Ward's Summer school class of young men met with him in Jamaica Plain Wednesday evening in conjunction with his Jamaica Plain class. The trip over was made in Bartlett Spooner's auto. The young men were initiated into the order of Universalist Brotherhood as Quincy Lodge No. 20 by Grand President William L. Sprague, principal of the Dedham High school.

The Quincy Y. M. C. A. basketball team gave Newton the surprise of its life Wednesday night by winning the league game at Newton by a score of 26 to 24. Newton evidently thought Quincy would be pretty easy for Jacobs did not show up for the game and the Captain Muir also was absent. Quincy took the lead at the start and was never headed, the work of the local back being of a very high grade, especially in the first half.

The bowling series between Clapp Memorial of Weymouth and the Quincy Y. M. C. A. opened here Wednesday evening. The visitors took the match, 1209 to 1290, a margin of 21 pins. Beane of the Quincy five had high single, getting 116 in his first string. Cunningham of the visitors was second with 107. The Clapp five lost the first string by two pins and were leading by two in the second.

Past President Edward S. Welsh, district deputy and Past President James Melton, district marshal, assisted by the degree team installed President Frank J. Duffy and the officers of John Adams elite, Fraternal Order of Eagles, in Electa hall Wednesday evening. The ceremonies were elaborate and were followed by the regular meeting when several applications were acted upon, four members reported on the sick list and plans made for the monster class day to be held this month.

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"Rev" Hitchcock, the big guard on the championship Harvard eleven this fall will speak at the boys meeting this morning on "Football as an education." All the boys in the city want to see the famous representative of Harvard and hear the "inside dope" on football.

Harold Chapman, captain of the championship football team, has entered Wollaston academy, where his brother Peter Chapman has been a student since his graduation at Quincy High school in 1911. "Booster" as he is familiarly known throughout the city, had his name entered on the academy roll Jan. 2.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Wilfred Nordquist, a well known young man of Whitest street, Thursday evening, where he was tending a surprise party. In the half of those present he was presented a beautiful silver ring. With a few well chosen words he thanked his friends for their kind token of friendship. Refreshments were served and games were enjoyed until a late hour. Guests were present from Quincy, Braintree, Wollaston and Weymouth.

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Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Emil A. Retzel, Miss Adelaide Nichols, Miss Eldine Young, Miss Gladys Parlee, Miss Sadie Wheeler, Miss Arline Chute, Miss Gertrude Allen, Miss Edith Atkins, Miss Ethelyn Welkins, Clifton Young, George Parlee, Harold Wheeler, Harry Bryant.

Sunday evening in the Wollaston Methodist church, Rev. George M. Bailey will preach on "The Gospel of Good Health." The sermon will be preceded by a short talk by Dr. E. R. Johnson upon "The maintenance of good health."

William R. Dimock, the builder of Wollaston has the cellar staked out for a house on the Dow property on Lemoyne street, Braintree for Mr. and Mrs. Alva Dow, nee Carrie Hilliard.

Mrs. Sarah E. Pleadwell of Whitman is the guest of her son and daughter Mr. and Mrs. George P. Pleadwell of Chertsey road, Atlantic.

"Everybody-go-to-Church" Sunday found the Wollaston Baptist church crowded to its fullest capacity. The sermon was appropriate for the day, the subject being, "Loving the church." The pastor, Rev. Joseph Walther, spoke of the good done by the church, merely as an institution, and gave many reasons why we, as ardent Christians, should support and love the church. The musical service was excellent, consisting of "Prelude" Moir, "Melody," Griez, "Marche Romaine" Gounod, played by the organist Mrs. George K. Drew, and Buck's "O Zion, that collect gold tidings," by the chorus choir.

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## ATLANTIC

The Passion play given in stereoscopic views by Dr. Bronson of Boston at the M. E. church, Atlantic, was a spiritual and intellectual treat to a full house at 7 P. M. last Sunday.

An interesting quarterly conference was held by Dr. Bronson at the Atlantic M. E. church last Sunday evening. The reports of the pastor and official board were encouraging.



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Notes and Comments.

The state of Maine ought to secure Miss Fern Hobbs of Oregon as governor or sheriff. When the governor of Oregon was away the other day, Miss Fern was left in authority, and she immediately began to show a rare degree of authority and some courage. Because people selling liquor would not observe the law, she put one community under martial law called out the militia and placed them on guard over the rum shops. The place is reported as drier than Sahara. The women do show the men folks the way sometimes, for a fact.—Spencer Leader.

The discovery that members of Congress are sending in their income tax contributions prematurely is an interesting sidelight on just how much these sagacious gentlemen know about the law they themselves enacted.—Milford Gazette.

Municipal inaugurations have gone off, and the new bodies are now getting down to a working basis. As usual, there has been no little talk about "economy," which is a slight good for new eyes to see some of this quality in municipal administration.—Salem News.

Report that the owners of the Robert Browning love-letters are trying to sell them to the British museum because they can't find a buyer, is interesting as a symptom of returning sanity among our prominent and generally respected citizens. There is a point at which the American book-lover and curio collector ceases to be "easy." There have been people willing to pay \$35,000 for love letters, but they usually find them too common. Moreover, they were not poets.—Taunton Herald.

A famous English woman visiting in this country remarks that our homes are bare and uninteresting, and that the place is covered with several coats of paint and some with heavy mortgages.

A well-known physician has said that too many clothes are the cause of colds. A lot of modern women ought to be immune if that is the fact.

Massachusetts and Kansas are the only states in which New Year's day is not a legal holiday, and this is used as a reason why this state should adopt the plan. If we must initiate other states, then we must abolish "Patriots' Day," which is, we believe, a legal holiday nowhere else. Occasionally it is well to be different.—New Bedford Standard.

Highway robbers of automobilists are becoming altogether too active. Minimum sentences of 15 years in state prison would soon end this nefarious industry. The courts ought to make common cause against the ruffians, and this kind of a judicial device would be found effective.—Haverhill Gazette.

According to the Boston News Bureau lawyers are at work upon at least three very important suits that will be leveled against the income tax after March 1. Some lawyers are very firm in their belief that they will be able to deal the law a severe blow, not only against but unconstitutional in its discriminatory features. And then there is Dr. Anna Shaw advising woman suffragists to refuse payment of this tax, on the principle of no taxation without representation. The in come tax may cause some little commotion in various ways, but probably prove to be as ineffective as it was designed to be.—Taunton Herald.

We do not know how common the practice has been for moving picture concerns to "fake" films of persons who have become famous for one reason or another, but the verdict obtained by Jack Huns, the wireless hero, will discourage any further resort in the future. A fake picture purporting to have been filmed by one of our men and she brought suit, obtaining a verdict of \$12,500. A judge tried to cut this verdict and asked Binks to accept \$2500, but he refused and the award has recently been confirmed by a higher court. Hereafter makers of the movies will be pretty sure to get the original when they desire pictures of famous men.—Taunton Herald.

It is Wisconsin that is responsible for the atrocity of having crossed the Ben Davis with the Jonathan apple, thereby insulting the latter fruit and further deceiving the public which allows itself too often to be taken in by the Ben Davis. But Wisconsin is also the author of a new apple whose flesh is red throughout like a watermelon and, if the flavor is equally pleasing the State may redeem itself from the stigma of the offense mentioned.

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AMONG THE CLUBS.

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QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

The Quincy Women's Club with its meetings Tuesday afternoon at the clubhouse entered upon the second half of the season's program. Owing to the intensely cold weather the attendance was not quite as large as usual. Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, president, called the meeting together for the usual business session, reports being given by the clerk and chairman of committees.

Proceeding the lecture, violin solos were given by Miss Edith Roundb, accompanied at the piano by Miss Agnes B. Ruggles, organist at Bethany church. Miss Roundb played with pleasing artistry and her selections were received with pleasure and applause.

The lecture was under the auspices of the Home Economics committee. Mrs. Maurice P. Spillane, chairman. David J. Hickey took as his subject "What we do not get for our money," and at some length showed much not received for amount expended.

Mrs. Walter E. Burke and Mrs. Herbert S. Barker were hostesses for the afternoon. Poursers at the tea table were Mrs. Wilson Marsh and Mrs. Walter E. Pihlak.

Among the announcements was that of the Twelfth Night Revels to be held by the Civic committee at Quincy Mason hall, Friday evening. It would afford amusement for every one, for those participating in the frolic and those looking on. It is at once the maddest and merriest social affair of the season and each year grows more popular.

WOLLASTON W. C. T. U.

The regular monthly meeting of the Wollaston Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held at the home of Mrs. Isakiah W. Sneath, 29 Marion street, last Friday evening. Mrs. George Crothers, presiding. Mrs. Crothers paid high tribute to the late president, Mrs. George H. Soule, speaking of her earnestness and helpfulness and her rare charm of winning and helping others. While the Union had met with a great loss in the sudden passing away of such a faithful and untiring worker for the cause of temperance, Mrs. Crothers urged members to rally and faithfully carry on the work Mrs. Soule had so loved and planned for.

Mrs. Crothers was elected president of the Union, after which she spoke of "The Bible in the public schools," giving an able and interesting talk on the subject. She called attention to the deplorable fact that in eight states the Bible is excluded entirely in the schools. No teaching can be a substitute for religious training. The Bible is the best text book on morals. Education is the moral policeman of education. The child who is religious will be a good citizen. Mrs. Crothers quoted Bishop Lawrence, ex-president Roosevelt, Judge Ben Lindsay and others on the subject and in conclusion said the solution is this, that churches should co-operate with the public schools.

QUINCY DAY NURSERY ASSO.

Those who donated to the Quincy Day Nursery during the month of December were: Bethany Sunday school, Mrs. E. E. Jameson, Mrs. Charles C. Hearn, Mrs. Theophilus King, Mrs. Herbert Lawton, John H. Johnson, Quincy Mansion school girls, Edith and Evelyn Ames, Mrs. Stanley F. Hall, Mrs. N. S. Hunting, Entertainment Men, King's Daughters, Mrs. George W. Able, Mrs. Frank Merrill, Mrs. Clarence Burgin, Mrs. Thomas A. Addison, Mrs. Frank A. Page, Mrs. Levi H. Turner, Mrs. McLennan, Mrs. Walter M. Packard, Mrs. W. G. Ogden and the Swedish M. E. Sunday school through Mr. Hillman.

HOME DECORATION LECTURES.

A most profitable afternoon was vouchsafed those who attended the talk given Jan. 8, under the auspices of the Art Committee of the Quincy Women's Club. The fine old Colonial home of Miss Margaret L. Thomas was opened for the lecture, the cheerful fire on the hearth made all oblivious to storm without and the gracious presence of Mrs. Theodore Thomas with Miss Thomas gave such warm welcome all betokened charming hospitality.

L. M. Jennings of Irving and Cass on Co., Boylston street, Boston, read a scholarly paper upon the lighting of the home, after which an informal discussion brought out many helpful suggestions.

Later all repaired to the dining room, where Mrs. Thomas presided gracefully at the tea urn and the dispensing of afternoon tea brought to a close a very enjoyable afternoon.

AGAINST BILLBOARDS.

During the business session of the Milton Woman's club, Jan. 5, the following resolution was offered: "Resolved, that the Woman's Club desires to express its disapproval of the practice of renting vacant lots in this town to advertisers, since billboards detract from the charm and neat appearance of any neighborhood, and that the committee be authorized to urge the town to take such action as may be practicable towards discouraging that form of advertising." This resolution was unanimously adopted with the amendments that a copy be sent to the Selectmen and that the members refrain from purchasing articles so advertised.

WOMEN PLEASE NOTICE.

Dr. Hugh Cabot in "Some observations upon sex instinct" at the meeting last week of the Ladies Physiological Institute in Boston emphasized in a way which impressed his listeners, the impossibility and absurdity of men thinking they can understand all the instincts of women, and vice versa. He spoke of the expressions of natural law; the causes which have brought about the extraordinary dual standard of morals; the specialization brought about by civilization and the misconception of the male and female sex. Some who have espoused the feminist movement. There should be, Dr. Cabot said, an equality of the sexes; there can never be a similarity. They should not think of life's duties as

competition but co-operation. He was especially earnest in what he said regarding the present misguided, misdirected attitude toward unmarried mothers. He blamed women for admitting into their friendships men whose lives are known to be unworthy the aspect of honorable people and was emphatic in his denunciation of the present mode of dancing which has neither beauty nor rhythm, but is purely sex stimulation. When women really make up their minds to put a stop to such things, he said, it can be done.

THE MODERN CHILD.

Owing to the blustering night a smaller audience than usual gathered in the Wollaston school hall Monday evening to hear Professor Marshall L. Perrin of Boston University deliver his address on "The modern child" before the Wollaston Parents and Teachers Association.

Professor Perrin differed radically in his views from those expressed on the same subject by Dr. Woods Hutchinson a few nights ago in the same hall.

"We don't understand the modern child," said Professor Perrin. "He has been brought up under entirely different conditions and has brought with him a problem."

"Parents are afraid of their children. Don't scold mothers for attending clubs. Children have become so bright and clever the mother must go out in order to converse with them."

"Children are not taking advice from those behind the times. They love you but you don't understand. Mothers must be the equals of their children. It is a terrible thing for a daughter to outgrow her mother. Children of today feel that the family exists for them. Not they for the family. They are not to blame. The parents are afraid to tackle the problem. They are not at home very much and they have a scene."

"What the boys need is the discipline of the old fashioned chores. But where are we to get them? There are two blessings for the child that are being brought about. One is that the high prices are throwing them back on the cereals and staple foods. The other that trouble with the help is bringing daughters back in the kitchen where they belong."

"Conditions are making the modern child a peculiar individual. He is less with his heart and his hands and more with his head than ever before. I stand in awe of the ability of the modern child to grasp things."

"But we should teach the child self control and the way to meet obstacles. This way of having for the child, everything that is easy and sweet may seem fine but when the hard question brings him to scratch, he fails."

"Temperaments and struggles are good for children, but we should stand by to encourage them and help if it proves too hard. Children of today want to know the reason for doing everything. Tell them the reason then insist on their doing it."

"Keep your children with you and you need never worry about them. Teach them duty and self control, as well as the sweetness of life and in after years they will rise up and thank you."

CLAN MCGREGOR.

The officers of Clan McGregor, No. 5, Order of Scottish Clans, were installed Monday evening in Clan McGregory hall, by Royal Secretary Peter Kerr, assisted by Past Chief Thomas Johnston, as follows: Chief—Angus Martin. Tanist—Charles Nicoll. Secretary—John Bissett, Sr. Financial Secretary—Walter Mitchell.

JOINT INSTALLATION.

The officers of Quincy branch, No. 225, Irish National Foresters, were installed in Hibernian hall Tuesday evening by Chief Ranger Joseph Skinner, assisted by Miss Susie McGoldrick of St. Mary's church of Boston. Speeches were delivered by the visitors and officers and refreshments were served.

The attendance was very large. The Quincy branch officers are: Chief Ranger—Thomas Rogan. Sub Chief Ranger—James Morrissey. Treasurer—James M. Cantill. Secretary—Daniel Scully. Assistant Secretary—Richard Gray. Senior Beadle—John Curry. Junior Beadle—Patrick Mitchell. Trustees—James Kelley, Martin O'Shaughnessy.

Past Chief Ranger—Edward E. McGinty. The St. Marys officers were published in the Daily Ledger when elected. The chief ranger is Miss Mary Costello.

CITY RECEIPTS.

City Auditor Fairbanks reports the following city receipts for the year 1913, compared with the preceding three years. Although the number of water takers, the water receipts were less than in 1912 or 1911. The tax receipts show a large increase. The sewer assessments brought in larger returns, but particular sewer receipts were less.

WATER RECEIPTS.

For 1910, \$115,766.57  
For 1911, 128,467.48  
For 1912, 125,655.29  
For 1913, 122,026.44

TAX RECEIPTS.

For 1910, \$975,508.17  
For 1911, 712,192.08  
For 1912, 696,561.68  
For 1913, 912,322.40

MAIN SEWER ASSESSMENTS.

For 1910, \$14,977.56  
For 1911, 16,302.43  
For 1912, 17,612.25  
For 1913, 19,399.42

PARTICULAR SEWERS.

For 1910, \$6,931.79  
For 1911, 7,332.88  
For 1912, 8,634.98  
For 1913, 7,925.20

GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT.

The brilliantly lighted and spacious rooms of the clubhouse of the Quincy Women's club on Goffe street, were thronged Friday, Jan. 9, on the occasion of the annual gentlemen's night of the club. The well known hospitality of the club reigned supreme the gathering lacking that stiffness which often mars such occasions and it was a most enjoyable evening to the hundreds present.

Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, the club's president, and the Hospitality committee headed by Mrs. Walter E. Burke were in charge of the evening and saw to it that everyone enjoyed themselves. The president and her husband received informally greeting and extending the hospitality of the club to the guests as they were presented by Mrs. Burke.

The evening's program was in charge of Mrs. Burke. In extending the welcome Mrs. Smith addressed the gathering as "Gentlemen and ladies, members of out of town clubs, members of the Quincy Women's club, guests, city officials and husbands."

She said the club was marking its ninth anniversary and briefly outlined some of the things it had accomplished. She told how the old home was used by the club a part being occupied by the caretaker also rooms by two district nurses and an office by the secretary of the Association.

The year commences with a balance of \$234.22 and with all bills paid. During the year 1913 the receipts of the society were \$1901.57, and the balance from the 1912 celebration was \$12.08. The expenditures were \$1772.38.

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W. R. C. INSTALLATION.

At the regular meeting Tuesday evening of Paul J. Revere Corps, 103, the following officers for 1914 were installed by Mrs. Nellie P. Libby, district councillor, assisted by Miss Smith department senior aide: President—Idella I. Savage. Senior Vice President—Marion Baker. Junior Vice President—Ella A. Hayden.

Secretary—Isabel A. Southern. Treasurer—Laura E. Holt. Chaplain—Sarah C. Williams. Conductor—Isabella T. Bernie. Guard—Annie R. Brown. Associate Conductor—Cora M. Carman. Assistant Guard—Elizabeth Merrill.

Parrotic Instructor—Eliza A. Pennington. Press Correspondent—Mary E. Power. Musician—Bella Morton. Color Bearers—Mary A. Oxford. Bertha H. McCurdy, Sarah Luff, Maud Tibbitts.

Mrs. Savage in behalf of the newly installed officers presented Mrs. Libby a handsome pair of gloves and Mrs. Smith a bouquet of pinks. Mrs. Libby in behalf of corps, presented Mrs. Richardson, retiring president, a necklace of gold beads. Mrs. Southern presented the new president, Mrs. Savage, a bunch of pinks sent by her son. The officers were welcomed by Mrs. Dorcas H. Lyman, chairman of department relief committee; Mrs. Parker, member of the committee and Mrs. Smith. Refreshments were served by the entertainment committee.

LOYAL ORANGE LODGE.

Norfolk County District Worthy Master William Corbett and suite from Ennisfield lodge of Brookline installed the officers of the Quincy Loyal Orange lodge in Electa hall Tuesday evening.

The officers of the lodge were: President—John Lynch. Vice President—Robert T. Foy. Secretary—George Cahill. Treasurer—M. J. L. Kennedy.

BUILDING PERMITS.

Inspector of Buildings Warren S. Parker issued the following building permits this week.

Jennie W. Bennett, auto house, Shelton road. E. H. Hardwick, alteration, Adams street. E. H. Sears, dwelling, Bass street. Joseph Herron.

NORWEGIAN SOCIETY.

The officers of the Norwegian Society of Quincy were elected at the annual meeting in the Johnson building Tuesday evening and installed by District Deputy Nils Londengaard and Marshal Nils Fredericksen. The society is firmly established and includes nearly all the Norwegians in the city as members. A social program is being arranged for the balance of the season which meets with the hearty approval of all. The new officers are:

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TO CELEBRATE FOURTH.

With the wind howling at a 50 mile an hour gale and a thermometer hovering below zero, the members of the Quincy Fourth of July Association held their annual meeting Tuesday evening, reviewed the treasury account, filled vacancies on its board of officers and elected the officers for this year's celebration. The meeting was held in the office of William H. Teasdale, the Board of Trade rooms, failing for the first time to reach that toasty warmth usually felt at meetings held there.

Resolutions were passed on the death of Hon. William T. Shea, who served as chairman of the reception committee since the incorporation of the society.

Hon. John L. Miller, the present mayor, was unanimously chosen chairman of the reception committee. Louis F. R. LaRose, physical director at the Y. M. C. A., was elected chairman of the athletic committee to succeed James E. Neary, who has moved from this city and Theodore DuPlessis is of Wollaston was elected chairman of the finance committee to succeed George B. Curran who declined reelection.

Hon. Eugene R. Stone was unanimously reelected president of the association and there was no change in the other officers.

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CHOIR CONCERT.

Only the heroic venture out in zero weather for an entertainment, but the people of Bethany Congregational church appreciate the endeavors of the two choirs which contribute so much to the Sunday services each week and about 200 were at the church Tuesday evening for the annual concert by the choirs. The advance sale of tickets was also large so that a good sum will be netted.

Both the morning and evening choirs participated, being assisted by Emma Shufeldt Moore, soprano; Ruth Hardy, soprano; Robert Fitzgerald, tenor; Albert L. Hayden, bass; Edith Roundb, violinist; Daisy Bemis Sampson, pianist and Agnes B. Ruggles, organist.

Part one opened with an organ solo "Canticle Pastoral" which was well received and was followed by a chorus number, "There is a river," which included a beautiful solo by Miss Hardy, A baritone solo by Mr. Hayden. The choir was finely rendered. No. 4 was an instrumental selection for violin, organ and piano, "La Deluge." One of the best numbers of the evening was the group of songs by Mr. Fitzgerald. The vested girls' choir closed part one with "Sancta Maria" by Faure, very sweetly rendered.

Part two of the program was a presentation of "The Daughter of Jairus" by the same talent. The introduction was by organ and violin. The choral recitative was by the chorus and was followed by soprano recitative. "My hope is in the everlasting" by Mr. Fitzgerald. Mrs. Moore sang "Jesus, come with me." "The walling" was by violin and the vested girls' choir. Another soprano recitative and then the chorus of un-believers by male voices. The chorus appeared at its best in "Awake thou that sleepest. The duet "Love divine, all love excelling" was charmingly rendered by Mrs. Moore and Mr. Fitzgerald. The trio in the closing number were Mrs. Moore and Messrs. Hayden and Fitzgerald and were well assisted by the chorus.

It is to be regretted that all ticket holders could not be present to hear such a grand concert.

QUINCY REAL ESTATE SALES.

Raymond D. Beals to Clarence L. Cleaves. Clarence L. Cleaves to Lucy Le C. Miller, East Elm avenue. William I. Estabrook to Wendell Torrey, River road. Henry M. B. to Dionisio Diego at K. K. K. street. Leila M. Goodspeed to Harry F. Reiser, Grand View avenue. Annie E. Hart to Lawrence B. Hart, Willard street. Helen M. Howland to Susan R. Cook, Adams street. Albert Keating to Charles H. Pennington, Washington street. Benjamin King to Horace W. Richmond, South Central avenue, Lincoln avenue. Antoinette Moyses to Josephine A. Ringrose, Hancock street, Greenleaf place. Theodore B. Munroe to George F. Halliwell, Squantum street. Albert Nelson to Charles W. Towns, Carruth street. James M. Nowland to Annie M. Angell, Edgemore road. James M. Nowland to Annie M. Angell, Valley street. Harlow H. Rogers to Wendell Torrey, River road. Mary A. Sanborn to William T. Mallif, Babcock street. Richard E. Sheehan to Charles R. Sherman, Ridgeway street. Minnie H. Stone to Charles R. Sherman, Ridgeway street. William F. Torrey to Nellie M. Greenlaw. Wendell Torrey to Walter R. Torrey, River road. Abigail C. Curtis to Mary F. Hayward, High street. Antoinette Moyses to Josephine A. Ringrose, Greenleaf place. Edward F. Parlee to Bertha N. Packard, Division street.

LOYAL LADIES INSTALL.

The officers of the Loyal Ladies of Clan McGregor were installed Tuesday evening in Clan McGregor hall, by Mrs. Margaret Gammon, assisted by Miss Margaret J. Michael as conductor. The officers installed are: President—Margaret Stronach. Vice president—Bella Grassick. Chaplain—Mary Muckle. Recording secretary—Marjorie Milne. Financial secretary—Jennie Fyfe. Treasurer—Margaret Collins. Right conductor—Russell Medlyn. Left conductor—John A. McConarty. Inside guard—Hannah Emily. Outside guard—Katherine McMillan. Trustees—Jennie Steinbrener, Elizabeth Miller, Elizabeth Russell. Pianist—Mary Barnicot. Official correspondent—Elizabeth Grassick. Physician—Dr. George T. Sheahan. Handsome bouquets were presented to the installing officers by the new president.

Past President Margaret Stronach was the recipient of a beautiful silver tea service from the members, in appreciation of her long and devoted service to the organization. Mrs. Stronach also received a fine cut glass and silver fern dish from the Amusement committee. In turn each of the members of the committee were remembered by the retiring president by gifts of gold beauty pins. Mrs. Stronach thanked the society most heartily for their kindness to her and also thanked the members of her committee who have so faithfully worked with her and said she would always have the interest of the Loyal Ladies at heart. Remarks on the good of the order were made by other officers.

The reports of 1913 show that the organization is in a very flourishing condition. Seven new members were initiated Tuesday evening and the applications of several for membership were received. The total membership is now 469. The Loyal Ladies is the largest women's organization in Quincy.

Refreshments and dancing closed the evening's program.

IRISH LAND LEAGUE.

Peter McConarty was re-elected president of the Quincy Branch of the United Irish Land league at the annual meeting on Sunday evening, and Mr. O'Hara, a Dublin resident gave an extended talk on the Home Rule question and how it appeals to the people of Ireland.

The branch is the oldest one in the country and since its organization has been governed by a board of officers of a cosmopolitan nature. Samuel T. Drew its vice president is a Cape Cod Yankee who joined because his sympathies were with the people in their fight for freedom and Enno Costa, its treasurer was actuated by the same principles when he applied for membership. The officers chosen were:

President—Peter McConarty. Vice President—Samuel T. Drew. Financial Secretary—Daniel Ahearn. Treasurer—Enno Costa. Recording Secretary—Frank Clinton.

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SACHEM CLUB.

The first annual meeting of the Sachem club of Wollaston was held Monday evening, in Progressive hall, Wollaston. President Eugene F. DeNormandie was in the chair and Charles Alden was elected secretary pro tem.

The secretary's report was read. The expenses of the last year have been met by the incorporators and the treasurers report showed a small balance on hand.

Ballooning had been going on from 12 until 9 and at that hour Harry A. Stevens announced for the balloting committee the following elected: Directors for three years—Russell T. Anthony, Charles M. Bryant, John Buchanan, Nathan G. Nickerson, Jr. Arthur P. Russell, and George W. Stone.

Directors for two years—Edward Tyler Brigham, Morrison B. Capron, Matthew Ott. Directors for one year—Eric H. Ewertz, William F. Kimball, Chandler W. Smith.

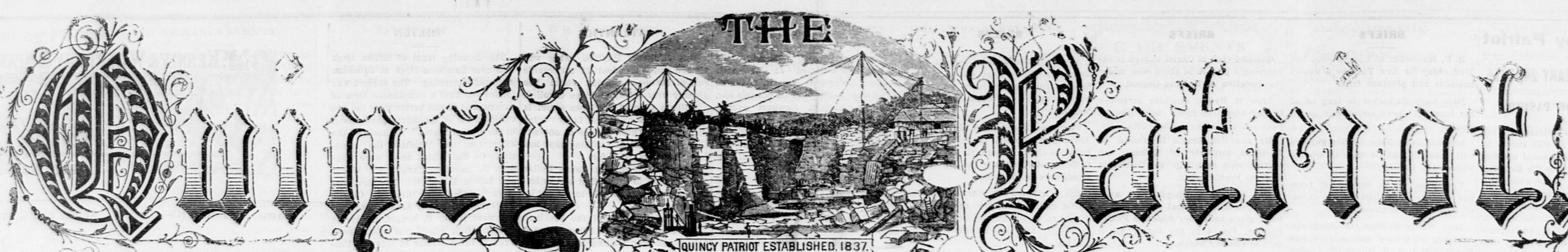
Nominating Committee for 1914—Charles W. Bailey, William Chapman, Henry B. Dimmick, Elmon R. Johnson, Albert H. Murray and Eugene H. Sprague.

The new board of directors will organize within a week and elect officers from their number upon the new board with devolved responsibility of building the clubhouse that is contemplated.

Eugene F. DeNormandie the retiring president received a hearty vote of thanks for the faithful and efficient work he has done in the interests of the club since its inception.

The main business of the meeting was the listening to the report of the lay in board of directors which gave a review of the clubs affairs from the time it was organized a year ago.

The report told how the club had been the logical sequence of the Community House idea and how 250 signatures showing willingness to become members of a social club in this connection had been secured.



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Reserve for Re-insurance, \$1,834,000.00  
Reserve for Unpaid Losses, \$1,143,459.00  
Reserve for Other Claims, \$5,047,290.00  
Total Assets, \$12,024,749.00  
Total Liabilities, \$9,515,188.00  
Surplus for Policy-Holders, \$2,509,561.00

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Amount of Cash Surplus, \$1,937,229.00  
Contingent Assets, \$1,801,605.00  
Total Available Assets, \$3,738,834.00  
Dividends are now being paid on five-year policies, 20 per cent; on three-year policies, 10 per cent; on one-year policies, 5 per cent.

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Would you only come back, little fellow, to me.  
From the land where your spirit forever is free,  
You might miss up my collar, and rumple my shirt,  
You might dust every floor with the point of your top—  
And though your small fingers might fill me with dirt,  
I should nevermore peevishly tell you to stop!

**SCOOTERS OF THE ALLEY.**  
"Ye can come in," she said softly, holding the door open a grudging crack "But I warn ye! If it's a meanie-sterial cat I'm receiving, then I'm highly honored and you're heartily welcome. But if it's for your boy, Scoots, you've come a-begging. Why then I'm a very busy woman! I've no money to waste on them, and I think ye might be in better business."  
"I think it's a ministerial call," said the minister, laughing. He came in and went straight to business, well knowing the rough-tongued, soft-hearted parishioner, and determined to be as straightforward as she was.  
"You don't know the chance your boy's missing, Miss McCormick," he told her, decidedly. "These boys are going straight to ruin unless somebody takes hold and helps them. Somebody is taking hold. You ought to be in it. You wouldn't find them so bad, either."

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In just that way. He was conscious of a sudden shamed fear as to what might be happening to those branches. "The uncultivated heathen," the old lady ejaculated, her gray mop of a head appearing at the window in place of the minister's. He had quickly deduced aside when he became aware of what was going on. He was heart-sick and discouraged, but he did not wish to seem to be spying on anyone. When the boys looked up—or looked down, according to their positions in the tree or under it—they saw only Miss McCormick, whose suspicious exclamation had startled them. In a moment they had scuttled out of sight. Two seconds later the old-fashioned knocker waked the echoes in the big square rooms, and she was scurrying to answer it.

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**QUINCY BILLS.**  
As usual a deluge of new bills was filed at the State house on Saturday, which was the last day for recording new measures with the clerk of the House, James E. Kimball. Among them was a bill presented by Michael T. Sullivan of Quincy that homesteads be exempt from taxation.

**STREET VALUES.**  
The Patriot begins this week the publication of the assessed valuation of the city, street by street, the figures having been compiled by Warren W. Adams, chairman of the Board of Assessors. All streets of Ward One, with the exception of those at Houghs Neck are presented in the first installment.

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### INCREASE FOR PASTOR.

Bethany church is enjoying an era of great prosperity, as was shown by all the reports at the annual meeting Wednesday evening, and the fact that pledges are already made which will give a surplus after appropriating a budget of \$6,840 for the current year. This budget includes an increase of \$300 in the pastors salary, an increase for music, and anticipates all the needs of the year 1914.

The church is now a regular incorporated body, and Frank W. Crane presided as moderator. The report of John P. Hunt, the clerk, showed a membership on Jan. 1, 1914, of 498, which includes 184 men and 314 women, a gain of 59 during 1913. The accessions numbered 71, and included 22 by confession, 37 by letter, 10 by reaffirmation, 2 reinstated. The losses numbered 12 including 3 by death, and 9 by letter. Since Jan. 1 the membership has grown to 516.

W. P. Sidelinger, the treasurer, reported that the total receipts of the year were \$9,812.20; that the expenses were \$9,462.22, leaving a balance of \$350.98. All bills are paid. The expenses included \$1,027.04 for benevolences.

Rev. B. A. Willmott in the pastor's report, reviewed the peace and unity that prevailed and the hearty cooperation of all. The results could not be told in figures, but he noted an average attendance of 107 at the mid-week meetings. During the year the pastor had attended and spoken at 26 meetings in the church, and 25 outside the church, and had also attended 28 other gatherings; he also attended 27 funerals, officiated at 24 weddings, and made 205 calls in the homes.

F. K. Damon for the prudential committee reported the church property in a better condition than ever before and told of improvements. He complimented the sexton.

E. V. Fitts, for the finance committee, reported that the church was never in a better financial condition. A budget for 1914 had been prepared and he announced that pledges had already been made for the full amount \$6,840. The budget was adopted last year without debate. It includes \$2500 and house rent as pastor's salary, a total of \$5,000; the sum of \$1000 for music, \$800 for repairs, \$450 for Bible school and other generous appropriations.

There were also interesting reports from the music committee, the Auditor, the Bible school, the Brotherhood, the Christian Endeavor, the Junior Endeavors, the Bethany Ladies Union, the Makaria Fraternity, the Philathea class, the Knights of King Arthur, the Cradle Roll, and other organizations of the church.

A vote of thanks was extended to M. P. Hayward, the superintendent of the Bible school, and the Ladies Union was complimented on its untiring work and financial assistance. Deacon R. D. Chase could hardly believe the good news. He said the reports were the best in forty years, and it was remarkable that the church had expended nearly \$10,000 the past year, and that the finance committee had all the funds needed for 1914.

Theophilus King said the solution was easy; all organizations needed a strong man to gather around, and the pastor was all this.

The officers were elected by an Australian ballot, a double list being presented, and the following were chosen:

Moderator—Frank W. Crane.  
Clerk—John P. Hunt.  
Treasurer—Wm. F. Sidelinger.  
Auditor—Wm. H. Fay.  
Collectors—Henry Williams and Wesley Beckford.

Finance Committee for 3 years—Richard Bishop and Geo. A. Sidelinger.

Prudential Committee for 3 years—Ernest L. Collins and Mrs. A. L. Melcher and A. L. Hayden.

Music Committee for 3 years—Mrs. Ernest L. Collins and Mrs. J. F. Welch.

Music Committee for 1 year—Mrs. Jennie L. Sidelinger.

Deacons—Messrs. A. L. Melcher, Mrs. Margaret Laine, Mrs. Jane McDock, Mrs. E. W. Branch, Mrs. Henry Williams and Mrs. J. S. Swingle.

Previous to the annual meeting an excellent supper was served to 240 by the Bethany Ladies Union, which taxed the capacity of the dining room. Mrs. A. L. Melcher was chairman. At each table one of her assistants presided at a chafing dish of hot peas. The menu also included roast lamb, escalloped potatoes, relish, rolls, cake pies and coffee.

### MISSIONARY OFFICERS.

The Ladies Foreign and Home Missionary societies of the Wollaston Baptist church held a joint annual meeting, Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles E. Goodspeed of Grand View avenue.

The Home Missionary Society elected these officers:

President—Mrs. Joseph F. Pinkham.  
Vice President—Mrs. Philip Dresser.  
Secretary—Mrs. Charles MacFarland.  
Treasurer—Mrs. J. Arthur Sparrow.

The new officers of the Foreign Missionary Society are:

President—Mrs. Joseph F. Pinkham.  
Vice President—Mrs. Edward E. Bullock.  
Secretary—Mrs. E. L. Durgan.

Treasurer—Mrs. William Dimmock. Annual reports of the various officers and committees were read and a social hour with refreshments closed the meeting.

### MASONS AND PLASTERERS.

The officers of the Quincy Branch of the Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers entered under their duties Monday evening at a meeting in Keatings hall. The officers are:

### BRIEFS

B. F. Macomber of Upland road left Wednesday for New York on a week's business and pleasure trip.

Miss Mary Gallagher is very ill at her home on Spear street with pneumonia.

Mr. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows will hold its annual ball at Quincy Music hall, March 12.

The Quincy A. A. basket ball team has engaged Alpha hall for the Greater Boston league games.

Mrs. Walter F. Rice of Springfield, formerly of Quincy was a week end guest of Mrs. A. H. Gilson of Linden place.

It was Past Commander F. H. Stoddard and not Frank H. Chubbuck who was presented a gold mounted sword at the installation of Abner B. Packard camp, Sons of Veterans.

District Deputy Rose A. Reed accompanied by a full board of grand officers of Maple lodge, K. and L. O. J., installed the officers of Slidley lodge at Brockton Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Edward E. Miller of Bigelow street entered her brown tabby cat in the Boston show last week and was awarded eight prizes, including one first and a medal.

The employees of the Quincy Department store held their first dancing party in Alpha hall, Tuesday evening with one of the largest gathering of dancers of the season present.

Quincy Music hall has already been engaged for Friday evening Jan. 19, 1915, for the fifth annual Twelfth Night Revels and plans have been begun to make them even a bigger success than the Revels of this year.

The Y. M. C. A. teams split even in their games on Saturday night. The Quincy first team won from Tech, 16 by the score of 46 to 26, while the Quincy second team lost to Melrose Y. M. C. A. in an overtime game by the score of 28 to 26.

John Ray of 37 Branch street, Quincy and Miss Elsie May Paulding of Duxbury, were married at Plymouth, Jan. 12 by Rev. Charles P. Marshall, pastor of the Washington street Congregational church. The groom is an auto mechanic.

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Salem High continued its string of victories by defeating the Quincy High basket ball team 12 to 11 in the local gym Tuesday afternoon. The winning points were scored in the last three minutes of play. The class of 1915 beat 1917 by a score of 32 to 3.

Commodore Henry Crane of the Quincy Yacht club and Commodore E. F. Drew and George H. Kendrick of the Yacht club, were successful in getting some fine pictures of the members. The delay in finishing up the large picture is due to the fact that two of the members of the Council of 1915 have not posed for their pictures.

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Galaud club of Christ church is rehearsing a play to be given soon under the direction of Erastus Osgood.

Alice M. Ryder, daughter of Frank H. and Laura E. Ryder of Houghs ave., was Monday a her 20th year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest D. Gourd of Needham, formerly of Quincy, are leaving soon on a trip to California and the Pacific coast.

Mrs. Norman E. Chaplin has written a charming musical play which is to be given under her direction Friday evening, Feb. 6 by the Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church.

Thomas Gerrish, former janitor of the Greenleaf block, was removed from the Hancock house, Wednesday the Quincy City Hospital, suffering from a serious illness.

The High school faculty team defeated the Sophomore basketball team Wednesday afternoon in the High school gymnasium, the score being 41 to 6.

The alarm from Box 227 at 453 Monday night was for a slight fire in the house at 22 Field street occupied by Antonio DiBona, and was caused by a too hot fire in the stove, setting fire to a mattress. The fire was extinguished with small loss.

Amateur theatricals were given after the regular meeting of Maple lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor, at the Protection hall, Wednesday evening by a local company. All enjoyed "Poh Pah Peace Town," the play which introduced rural and city life characters.

Edward J. Murphy of this city was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Central New England Rexall club for the fourth time at the convention in the Hotel Brunswick, Boston, on Wednesday. The club is composed of druggists of New Hampshire, Vermont, Rhode Island and Massachusetts.

Quincy commandery, Knights Templar, has received an invitation from De Molay commandery of Boston to the office of Edward E. Jameson of Wollaston is the eminent commander to pay that commandery a fraternal visit at its regular convocation Wednesday evening, March 25. The invitation has been accepted.

Mrs. Melora E. Harris, widow of Edward Harris, passed away Wednesday night at her home on Newcomb place, where she has resided for many years. Mrs. Harris was a quiet unassuming woman and one who made many friends and was much beloved by her neighbors and friends. She leaves three sons.

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After a three months rest at Canton Point, Maine, Miss Alice Caldwell returned to her home on Woodward avenue, very much improved in health.

The annual meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held at the home of Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann, Goffe street, Thursday, Jan. 29. A full attendance is desired.

Rev. Richard E. Armstrong of Christ church and Rev. Frederick H. Steenstra of St. Chrysostom's church exchange at the Sunday morning service.

Mrs. Lydia C. Hultman has moved into the house at 1174 Hancock street where she will make her home with her son Arthur B. Hultman, assistant court officer, during the winter months.

The mortality statement of the Board of Health for the month of December shows the death rate of Quincy that month to have been 1.64, and the rate for the year but 11.04, based on a population of 34,670.

The following were the prize winners Thursday afternoon at the matinee whist of George L. Gill lodge in Old Fellows hall: Mrs. H. E. Gates, Miss Mary E. Beatrice Walsh, Mrs. T. Donahue and Mrs. Adaline Young.

Edwin Mulready, deputy commissioner of Probation for Massachusetts, will be the speaker at the Saturday morning meeting of Y. M. C. A. boys this week. Mr. Mulready has chosen for his topic "Responsibility." A large attendance of boys is expected.

John Morgan gave an interesting talk at the Gardner Club Thursday evening. His subject was "The science of Saturday," and his talk certainly warranted the many rounds of applause which he received. After Mr. Morgan had finished, music and refreshments were enjoyed.

Ex-Councilman Joseph Carruthers and daughters, Margaret, and Mrs. A. S. Fall of Union, N. H., have the sympathy of their friends in the loss of Martha, the wife and mother, after a short illness of pneumonia. She was loved by all who had the privilege of her personal acquaintance. She was a member of the Quincy Women's Club, Women's Guild of Christ Church, Quincy chapter No. 88 O. E. S., and the Riverside Women's Club.

Several exciting incidents occurred in the weekly polo of the Wollaston Tennis Club on the Coliseum alley Wednesday evening. Raymond shattered the bunch for 118 in his last string and took high single. Emory and Hutton got 108 each, Jenner 107, and Hoxie 106. Other strings run less than 70 by the other players.

Rev. R. E. Armstrong of Christ church, and Rev. F. H. Steenstra of St. Chrysostom's church will exchange Sunday morning.

The Wollaston Tennis Club defeated the American Trust Co. the leaders in the Bank and Trust Co. League of Boston on the Coliseum alley Thursday evening. The tennis club team won the second and third strings and took the pinfall by eleven pins, thus winning three out of four points. Hoxie and Hiley got the high singles of 108 and Addison took the three string total with 299. A return match will be rolled later in the season in Boston.

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### WOLLASTON

The first sighting accident of the season was reported at Wollaston Friday. George V. Ross in trying to avoid Mrs. Taylor and an electric car, near the corner of Newport avenue and Beal street, was capsized. He was seriously cut about the head requiring a few stitches by Dr. Merritt. The horse and sleigh were not injured.

Joshua D. Rollins, one of the old time residents of Wollaston and almost one of the constituent members of the Baptist church of which he became a member in 1873 died Wednesday at the Baptist home, Brookline street, Cambridge where he and Mrs. Rollins have made their home for over fifteen years. The funeral was held Friday morning at 10 o'clock and was conducted by Rev. Joseph Walther of the Wollaston Baptist church. Burial at the Cambridge cemetery.

Edwin Mulready, deputy commissioner of Probation for Massachusetts, will be the speaker at the Saturday morning meeting of Y. M. C. A. boys this week. Mr. Mulready has chosen for his topic "Responsibility." A large attendance of boys is expected.

John Morgan gave an interesting talk at the Gardner Club Thursday evening. His subject was "The science of Saturday," and his talk certainly warranted the many rounds of applause which he received. After Mr. Morgan had finished, music and refreshments were enjoyed.

Ex-Councilman Joseph Carruthers and daughters, Margaret, and Mrs. A. S. Fall of Union, N. H., have the sympathy of their friends in the loss of Martha, the wife and mother, after a short illness of pneumonia. She was loved by all who had the privilege of her personal acquaintance. She was a member of the Quincy Women's Club, Women's Guild of Christ Church, Quincy chapter No. 88 O. E. S., and the Riverside Women's Club.

Several exciting incidents occurred in the weekly polo of the Wollaston Tennis Club on the Coliseum alley Wednesday evening. Raymond shattered the bunch for 118 in his last string and took high single. Emory and Hutton got 108 each, Jenner 107, and Hoxie 106. Other strings run less than 70 by the other players.

Rev. R. E. Armstrong of Christ church, and Rev. F. H. Steenstra of St. Chrysostom's church will exchange Sunday morning.

The Wollaston Tennis Club defeated the American Trust Co. the leaders in the Bank and Trust Co. League of Boston on the Coliseum alley Thursday evening. The tennis club team won the second and third strings and took the pinfall by eleven pins, thus winning three out of four points. Hoxie and Hiley got the high singles of 108 and Addison took the three string total with 299. A return match will be rolled later in the season in Boston.

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### THE APPOINTMENTS.

The reapportionment of City Clerk Crane and Water Front Commissioner Crane were merited, and it would have been a mistake to remove them. Evidently the name "Crane" looks good to the Mayor.

Some of the appointees have had experience in the same offices in past years, and there will be no anxiety about the city treasurer and tax collector.

Chief Engineer, Francis Billings has had long experience in the Quincy fire department and has made it a study, and should make good. Walter L. Pinkham should also make one of the best city solicitors the city has ever had.

Commissioner Brown is unknown generally, but comes well recommended. If he does as well as his predecessor, the taxpayers will be pleased.

Another new man in public life is Overseer Perry Green, but he is a taxpayer and people are willing to give him a trial.

### BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Constance F. Stecher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stecher, gave a most enjoyable party to her friends at her home, 82 Bololph street, Monday evening, from 7 to 9 o'clock.

The birthday cake contained favors, which were given to the guests. The rooms were artistically decorated with evergreen and poinsettias. These with two large bouquets of pink and white flowers were very attractive surroundings.

Games were played until six o'clock, when dinner was served to the guests. The menu consisted of chicken soup, chicken salad, bread and butter sandwiches, ham sandwiches, crackers, pickles, olives, ice cream, cake, confectionery and peanuts.

After this, games were again enjoyed until "goodbye" was said. The birthday cake contained favors, which were given to the guests.

Constance was the recipient of many pretty gifts but neither these nor the guests' souvenirs are necessary to recall the happy evening spent.

Those present were Marjorie Dame, Oliver Fuller, Elizabeth O'Doherty, Marion Gurney, Ruth Beeman, Helen Cherrington, Barbara Hobbs, Margaret Cornell and Marietta Luke.

### CHICKEN PIE SUPPER.

The chicken pie supper served by the Ladies Benevolent Society of Memorial church had the usual success that the society always has. A vestry full of people so that they had to set tables in the ladies parlor.

The committee in charge were Mrs. Harry Read, Mrs. Fred Osmond, R. F. Thomas, Mrs. John H. Welsh, Mrs. Isabelle S. Smith, Mrs. William F. Cummings, Mrs. Alvin T. Reed, Mrs. Spencer Apollonio, Mrs. William F. Dwyer, Mrs. John L. Torr, Mrs. C. A. Stearns, Mrs. Millard F. Baker, Mrs. Elijah Hall and Mrs. Charles A. Letteney.

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## ST. MARY'S BANQUET.

St. Mary's Catholic Total Abstinence and Mutual Relief Society observed its 39th annual banquet with a banquet in its hall on Willard street, West Quincy, on Thursday evening. There were 175 present.

President Thomas F. O'Brien was toastmaster and the speakers were Monsignor Ambrose, P. Roche, of Watertown who delivered a vigorous anti-saloon argument; Rev. Fr. Thomas M. McCoy, chaplain of the society; and pastor of St. Mary's church; Rev. Fr. Andrew J. O'Brien, professor of dogmatic theology at Brighton seminary; Rev. Fr. William J. Duffy, curate, at St. Mary's church; Cornelius M. Duggan of Atlantic, John Cusick, deputy to the society, Dr. John H. Ash, who has given his services as physician gratis for many years, and William H. Teasdale, the only surviving charter member whose photograph has been hanging on the wall.

During the evening songs were rendered by Joseph Morissette, specialties were given by Fred McDonnell, buck and wing dancing by Thomas Joyce, songs by William McDonnell and William R. Teasdale, Jr., and quartet selections by Joseph, Paul, Peter Morissette, Joseph Haley, Walter Pendis and Thomas Joyce, John Mahon was the accompanist of the evening.

Letters of regret were received from Rev. Fr. Henry T. Grady of Somerville, a former pastor of St. Mary's church, who said parish duties prevented his attendance; and Hon. John L. Miller, mayor of the city, who pleaded poor health. Both men included their congratulations.

Monsignor Roche, was given round after round of hand clapping which spontaneously broke into three mighty cheers. He congratulated the society on its 39th anniversary and spoke of the trials and hardships encountered in its formation by the good men of years ago. The society, he said, has done God's work and may God bless it for many years to come.

Taking up the subject of no-liquor, Monsignor Roche said he was surprised at the attitude of West Quincy on the no-liquor vote, surprised that it had voted for the saloon in spite of the society. I call it to your attention. The decreasing majority against no-liquor is a great danger. Arguments of years ago were that it would be better to have the saloon because men who became drunkards would eventually reform and become members, but he remarked, this view was a childish one. You ought to thank God that sentiment here was strong enough to take the saloon away, so many years ago that scarcely one of you remember it.

Safety consists only in absence, in flight and in keeping temptation away. A man with temptation placed before him must be a great man not to yield. As a business argument the sale of liquor and the saloon is ridiculous. It is a waste of money. It is willing to sell your soul in order to get more money.

The saloon is the worst enemy of the church, home, young men, education, of the acquisition of enough to take care of yourselves in old age, and of your mother who is your best friend.

An extended report appeared in the Daily Ledger of Friday.

Thursday afternoon G. B. Bates, the new chairman of the Board of Assessors, was escorted by the Mayor for some time, as was also John J. O'Hara the new Tax Collector.

One of the early callers this morning was Perry Green who is to be the new Overseer of the Poor. Mr. Green remained in the office nearly an hour. Several others who were waiting to see the Mayor, including Howard Rogers who has been appointed to the Board of Managers of Public Burial.

The next caller was Faxon Billings who is to be the Chief Engineer. Mr. Billings in talking to the reporters while waiting said that he would make his headquarters at the Central Fire Station and that he would sleep at the station as he is to be ready at all times to respond to alarms.

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Total Assets, \$12,581,553.48  
Total Liabilities, \$8,258,320.20  
Surplus for Policy Holders, \$4,323,233.28

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**WILLIAM D. McKAY.**  
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John Q. A. Field and R. F. Chaffin, trustees, Farrington street, alteration.  
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Louis Walters, Copeland street, alteration.  
John S. Redman, Atlantic avenue, dwelling.  
Alvah S. Redman, Atlantic avenue, miscellaneous.

**LINCOLN'S ACTS.**

**Emma J. Ross.**  
O. Tender heart, so strong, so brave,  
His holy thought, this flag has saved;  
His griefs for his country's honor,  
For his country—his pride—is rent in twain.

He hears the cry, "Our country save;  
Call out your army, strong and brave."  
The echo cry of countless slain,  
But not one drop is shed in vain.

Again the cry: "The message send,  
Make every slave, a freeman;  
His country's saved; the cause is won.  
And North and South are brothers one."

Our hero's gone, with martyr name,  
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Our flag still waves; the slave is free,  
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A greater part of the address is beyond doubt true to fact. His diagnosis of social and moral conditions compels our approval on account of its sturdy frankness and our knowledge of facts; we feel he has spoken the truth and for this all men should be thankful, since such rebukes are for the good of our common life.

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### SHE MOTHERED FIVE.

Edgar A. Guest.

She mothered five!  
Night after night she watched a little bed  
Night after night she cooled a fevered head.  
Day after day she guarded little feet,  
Taught little minds the danger of the street.  
Taught little lips to utter simple prayers,  
Whispered of strength that some day  
would be theirs.  
And trained them all to use it as they should.  
She taught her babies to the nation's good.

She mothered five!  
She saved her babies from her mother's trade.  
The roses' blushes; to her mother's trade.  
She saw the wrinkles furrowing  
her brow.  
Yet smiling said, "My boy grows  
stronger now."  
When pleasures called the turned  
away and said:  
"I dare not leave my babies to be fed  
By stranger's hands; besides they are  
so small  
I must be near to answer when they call."

She mothered five!  
Night after night they sat about her knee  
And heard her tell of what some day  
would be.  
From her they learned that in the  
world outside  
Are cruelty and vice and selfishness  
and pride;  
From her they learned the wrongs  
they ought to shun.  
What things to love, what work must  
still be done.  
She led them through the labyrinth of youth  
And brought five men and women up  
to Truth.

She mothered five!  
Her name may be unknown save to the few.  
Of her the outside world but little knew.  
But somewhere five are trodding  
Virtue's ways,  
Serving the world and brightening its  
kindness.  
Somewhere are five, who, tempted,  
stand upright,  
Clinging to honor, keeping her memory  
ever bright.  
Somewhere this mother's toils and its  
are alive.  
No more as one, but in the breasts of five.

### PHIP'S ACTIVITY.

"Why not?" said Phip coolly, "society is our right to be a mutual benefit concern. If my neighbor has, and can spare, that which I need, why should I not give a hint to that effect?"

"A very gentle hint in this instance," laughed Carter Vaughn. "You dare not do it, Phip."

"Dare not? Take care how you defy me. Tomorrow morning I will be heard the lion in his den."

"Phip, you are not in earnest, surely; think of the audacity of the thing," said Honor anxiously.

"Well, audacity is a good thing sometimes; it takes cheek to get through this world without being cheated," retorted Phip.

"My dear Phillip, what an unalloyed like expression!" remonstrated her mother.

"We won't have any great, stiff bowlers staring up at one, as if to say, 'Look at me; see how fine I be,'" pursued Phip, regardless of her mother's frown. "I'll be perfect, a glowing mass of color and beauty just together, and Phip relapsed into a fit of silent ecstasy.

"Seems to me you are counting your chickens before they are hatched," said Mr. Lazell dryly, as he turned his newspaper. It would take a small cartload of flowers to do all you have planned."

"Well, I expect neighbor Gannett to do the thing up in royal style, you know."

"He's much more likely not to do it at all," said Carter Vaughn.

"We shall see what we shall see," said Phip laconically, but with a willful little grin on his face.

The next morning, as Phip pulled the bell at the door of the next house, her courage suddenly failed her and she was strongly tempted to turn back and flee. "No, no, I have started to do it, and I will," she said resolutely.

The door was opened, and in answer to her rather timid query as to whether Mr. Gannett was at home, she was ushered into the library where that Mr. Gannett rose and bowed, paper.

Mr. Gannett rose and bowed. "Good morning, m'am, be seated," he said, pointing to a chair. Something in his manner and speech tickled Phip immensely, and she came very near laughing out, she controlled herself, however, and seated herself gravely. Mr. Gannett looked at her from under his shaggy eyebrows, and waited for her to state her errand.

Phip plunged into business at once. "My name is Phillip Lazell, and I have come begging."

"Some poor family, I suppose, with a dozen young ones. What's the amount?" he interrupted abruptly drawing his pocketbook out.

"Well, no, not very poor; that is not poverty-stricken; and there are no very young ones either. We do not need your money, sir; it is something almost as valuable, however," Phip said, her cheeks dimpling and eyes dancing with merriment.

"Oh, begging for yourself are you? That's a different thing," he said, dropping his pocketbook into his pocket again.

"You see, I have a sister Honor who is to be married this evening, and I want some flowers to ornament the parlor. But hot-house flowers in the

dead of winter are quite too costly for the family purse, which has been somewhat heavily taxed of late, although the dear girl has had the most modest trousseau.

"As for Carter Vaughn, he has had all the flowers he could furnish the house in which they are to live, without buying flowers which are worth their weight in gold. But a wedding without flowers is not to be thought of, and remembering that you had a hothouse full, I came to see if you would give me a few. I wish you to understand that it is my own idea entirely. Mother and Honor were shocked at my audacity, but I could not see what objection you would have to putting your flowers where they were appreciated, instead of wasting their sweetness on the desert air."

"Hm! Carter Vaughn! any relation to old Caleb Vaughn, who smashed up a dozen years ago?"

"His grandson. His mother is always boasting of their blue blood, but I think myself that a little less of the azure tint and a little more of the other circulating medium would be preferable. However, Honor is suited, and Carter is a splendid fellow, in spite of his mother and his blue blood."

Mr. Gannett looked more amused than Phip would have believed possible from the expression of his face when in repose. He turned to his table and wrote a few words on a slip of paper, then pulled the bell rope near him. A servant entered.

"Show this young lady out to the greenhouse, and give this note to Robert," said Mr. Gannett, cutting short Phip's thanks, and bowing a grave assent as he turned to his newspaper.

So for the next half hour Phip revelled in beauty and fragrance. She did not take half as many flowers as she wanted, for fear that Mr. Gannett (or Gannett as she had nicknamed him) would think that she was abusing his kindness.

"There, you see what comes of having faith in human nature," she said, rushing into Honor's room, and triumphantly displaying her floral treasures. She then recounted her interview and its results, and said, "I might have taken a great many more, but I was ashamed to do so; it seemed like taking advantage of his generosity."

"I am very glad you did not. These are lovely and will make quite a show," said Honor.

Phip flew round, arranging her flowers as she had planned, with the exception of her floral train, that she was obliged to give up. She stood contemplating her work with pleased satisfaction, when the door bell rang, and a moment later James brought in an elegant work basket, filled with flowers finer than any Phip had selected.

"Mr. Gannett sent these, for fear you wouldn't have enough."

"Oh, oh!" screamed Phip in delight. "What an angel he is."

"Rather a grey-headed fellow," interposed Mr. Lazell.

"Well, he has proved himself a ministering spirit. I am sure. I'll put this basket just as it is on the stand; nothing could be lovelier. An elegant note of which I am capable, inviting him to the wedding. He isn't a man who likes to be thanked, but I think he would be pleased with that sort of an acknowledgement, even if he does not accept."

"A very good idea," said Mr. Lazell, and the note was accordingly sent. It reached no answer, but among the first of the guests to arrive was Mr. Gannett.

It was a very pleasant wedding. Honor looked beautiful, as she always did, and Carter ecstatic, as he had every reason to do, for Honor was "one of a thousand." Mrs. Vaughn forgot her grief for a time, and the Vaughn girls their afflictions.

Mr. Gannett wiped his eyes at the end of the ceremony, and kissed the bride with a paternal air.

"I suppose 'twon't be very long before you go the way of all the earth, too," he growled as he encountered Phip, who had been unwontedly subdued all the evening.

"Thank you, I am not quite so foolish as to barter my liberty for the love of any man living," she said, shaking her head saucily.

"Oh, yes, that's the way you all talk, and then the first we know of you go."

The next morning, Mr. Gannett, I want you to notice how much your flowers add to the appearance of the rooms. I am so glad that I had the impudence to ask for them."

"As I didn't take your head off, as you evidently expected."

"Did you see that?" said Phip, coloring furiously.

"Did you suppose your airs of bravado deceived me, little one?" having a kindly hand on her shoulder.

"I think I shall exact some payment, however, for the flowers."

"What shall it be?" she asked, lifting her bright face towards him. "It seems ridiculous to speak of my being able to do you a service, still, if I can—"

"I am growing old and lazy. You should appear on occasion and read aloud to me. In exchange I place the books in my library at your disposal. You will be able to find something to interest you, I think. It is a bargain!"

"Indeed it is, and a bargain in which I have all the advantages, as you very well know," Phip said gratefully.

So it soon became an understood thing that Phip was to spend an hour each day in reading to her new-old friend. The reading was very diversified; sometimes a political article, then history, science, or art, once in a while a poem or standard fiction; but whatever it was they always discussed it afterwards, and Phip was surprised at the amount of information possessed by her companion. Her own intellect was stimulated and reasoning powers expanded, while her quick wit was sharpened by exercise.

"How odd it seems that I should ever have thought you gruff and ugly,"

she said one day, after an unusually merry discussion.

"Not odd at all; I was so. I was getting sour and into a bad way, and you came just in time to get me out of it. I was lonely and felt as if of all the love in the world there was none for me. So you see you were my good angel. The trouble is, somebody else will be finding it out, and will carry you off, and then what shall I do?"

"You need have no fear on that score," laughed Phip.

"Here is a poem that I wish you would read to me before you go," he said, handing her a book. And for the first time Phip read "Lancelot and Elaine." There was a pause after she had finished it.

"Well?" said Mr. Gannett, inquiringly.

"Well," responded Phip back. "What do you think of Elaine?"

"I think she was a little fool, and a decided nut of a head. 'I'd like to see the man who is worth dying for,' rather forcibly."

Mr. Gannett laughed as even Phip had never seen him laugh before. When his merriment subsided he said:

"I thought you seemed rather affected by some parts of the poem."

"Well, so I was," she answered frankly. "It is pretty written, and one cannot help pitying and sympathizing with her, although one does feel like shaking her."

"Just what you tell you are in love, and then see," he began warily, and again Mr. Gannett relapsed into a fit of chuckling, which surprised Phip. "I don't see that I have said anything very funny," she thought.

"I am expecting a nephew of mine very soon to take some of my business off my hands. I am getting too old to have the care of it. He will live here with me. I think you will like him; he's a nice sensible fellow, and as much opposed to matrimony as you are," said Mr. Gannett, wiping his eyes.

"Oh, dear, dear!" pouted Phip. "There's an end of all our good times."

"Why? I dare say you will become the best of friends."

"I don't like young men; they are always imagining either that you are in love with them or that they are in love with you. In the former case they are silly, in the latter case, they are not."

"Well, you are not obliged to meet him. You can wait until he has gone to his business before you come over."

"I see," said Phip, not coming while he was in the house. "I shall put on my hat and walking off with considerable dignity."

"Ho, Lancelot, come forth. That girl is not likely to be your Elaine," cried Mr. Gannett.

If Phip had turned her head she would have seen a merry face looking through the window at her, but she did not turn.

She found her father and mother earnestly discussing some matter which seemed to interest them deeply.

"The only objections that I can see, is Phip," her father was saying as she entered the sitting room. "What is that I'm an objection to?"

"Why, you see the Blaisdells have moved away from the city, and there's a chance of our being able to get their house if we wish. Carter went in to see your father about it this morning. He and Honor are very anxious that we should come, and of course it would be very pleasant. We should be right the next house to them, you know, whereas now we are half a day's journey off. It would be quite as convenient to your father's business, too. The only trouble is that it would be likely to interfere with your reading to Mr. Gannett."

"Well, I imagine that I have paid for the flowers by this time," Phip said, indifferently.

"Why I thought you enjoyed it so much, and looked forward to it every day," cried Mr. Lazell in amazement.

"Well, so I did, but it is spoiled now. Mr. Gannett has a horrid nephew who is coming to live with him, and I'm sure I won't go over when he's there. As for continually watching to see when the coast is clear, I do not like that sort of thing well enough to keep it up for any length of time. So there might as well be an end to it as first."

"But his nephew may be a very nice young man," said Mrs. Lazell.

"Oh, I dare say, but all are, in their own estimation," said Phip dryly. "But I do not like him, and I never shall, that's the long and short of it."

"My dear, you are not unreasonable. Remember that you never saw him," urged her mother.

"I've taken one of my prejudices," said Phip, decisively.

"And knowing the strength of these prejudices, Mrs. Lazell wisely forebore to urge the matter any further."

The result of the conference was as convenient to your father's business, too, and they immediately began to make preparations for moving.

The next afternoon Phip entered Mr. Gannett's library with a pile of books on her arm.

"I have brought back the books I borrowed, and am very much obliged. I've come for my farewell reading, and it will have to be a short one, too, as we are very busy at home today."

"Farewell reading! What do you mean?" ejaculated Mr. Gannett, pushing his spectacles up on his forehead, and looking at her in amazement.

"We are going to move to Montrose square at the other end of the city, and that will necessarily interfere with our readings. Perhaps your nephew will take my place, however; he will undoubtedly fill it much better than I have done," Phip said demurely.

"Bah!" growled Mr. Gannett, pushing down his spectacles again and looking keenly at her.

"Well, read this leader in today's paper."

### GO-TO-CHURCH SUNDAY.

Without any special effort on the part of the Quincy churches, there was an attendance at the Protestant churches on Sunday of over 9,000 at the morning and evening services—5,000 in the morning and 4,000 in the evening.

It should be noted that some of the churches hold only one service and that reports have been received from others in the list. Also that Squantum, Houghs Neck, Salers Saug Harbor and other religious services are not included. Neither are the Sunday schools of Young Peoples Societies.

Boston papers in reporting the attendance at Quincy churches have greatly underestimated the figures both on Sunday and the regular attendance each week.

Besides the two services at the Atlantic Memorial church, there were two funerals in the afternoon attended by over 500 people, which undoubtedly reduced the regular church attendance.

It should also be noted that there is considerable sickness in the city, and that the walking was very slippery and dangerous on Sunday.

The following figures of attendance have been compiled by the Patriot:

	A. M.	P. M.
Bethany Congregational	520	725
First Parish	300	300
First Episcopal	170	175
Universalist	400	125
Quincy Point	155	150
First Presbyterian	375	370
United Presbyterian	140	300
Calvary Baptist	75	90
Swedish Lutheran	250	150
Swedish Methodist	300	200
Swedish Congregational	300	200
Swedish Baptist	150	75
Finnish Congregational	—	—
Hall Place M. E.	175	100
Woll. Unitarian	200	200
Woll. Congregational	300	—
Woll. Baptist	320	250
St. Chrysostom	100	210
Wollaston Methodist	150	60
Park and Downs	350	400
Atlantic Congregational	275	175
Atlantic Methodist	125	100
	5,000	4,000

### SILVER WEDDING.

Fifty or more of the Granite City club, friends of John H. Johnson of 241 Belmont street, Wollaston, called upon him Monday evening and assisted in his twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. The first intimation John had of the coming of his club friends was when a dozen automobiles drew up to the walk and the members, headed by President MacQuarrie, advanced to the door, where they were received by Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, who were assisted in receiving by their daughters.

The uninvited, yet always welcome guests, were bidden to make themselves at home, and informed that the house was theirs as long as they desired to stay.

During the first part of the evening there was instrumental music and vocal selections by the club quartette, led by Messrs. Lally, Milne and Saunders, the party later separating into groups of four for whist.

Shortly after 10 o'clock there was a brief halt in the evening diversion during which refreshments were served. It was at this time that President MacQuarrie, after a few brief words of congratulation, presented Mr. and Mrs. Johnson with a handsome silver tray. In accepting the gift Mr. Johnson expressed his many thanks for their gift and assured them that the silver tray was always on hand and that they would always be welcome. Whist was again in order until midnight.

Although married in Boston, Mr. Johnson have been residents of Quincy for the past fifteen years. They have one son and three charming daughters. Mr. Johnson is the well known cigar manufacturer of Boston.

### PHILATHEA SOCIAL.

The Philathea Class of Bethany church held a very pleasant social and entertainment Monday evening in the church parlor. About fifty young ladies were present and a fine program had been arranged, which consisted of the Philathea hymn, a piano solo by Mrs. Goddard, piano duet by Mrs. Goddard and Miss Annie Birnie, solo by Miss Matson, duet by Miss Murray and Miss Matson, readings by Annie Mitchell, banjo numbers by Mrs. Goddard, recitation by Mabel Lovejoy. John Willmott was the pianist of the evening.

Edward Southworth gave a brief account of some of the scenes during the Civil war in which he took part, and gave a very interesting account of several sermons of the march and some of the bright side as well. He was heartily applauded. An annual drawing contest was next on the program and a prize was given for the one guessing the names of the animals drawn. Then came the marshmallow contest and a prize was given for this. At the close dainty refreshments were served.

### CLAN VISITATION.

A largely attended meeting of Clan McGregor, No. 5, was held Monday evening.

An invitation was received from Clan Lindsay of Cambridge to pay that clan a fraternal visit on Wednesday, February 18.

It was voted that the invitation be accepted and that the members meet at Quincy Adams station at 7.15 P. M. in time to leave on the 7.19 train for Boston. A large number of applications for membership were acted on at the meeting.

### QUINCY POST OFFICE.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Feb. 7:

Michele Afe, Konstanten Alchea, Azem Batamut, Hermon P. Bell, Arturo Domato, Ignacy Divinski, Pat Hawes, Miss Katherine Kemp, Antonio Konopkie, Mrs. N. Little, Lorenzo Loufiro, Hjalmar Mantari, Tzifol Olofsson, Miss E. W. Reid, Roscoe Sampson, Gilbert Smith, Charles Taylor, Cunjun Tsadkar, T. H. Tugeson, Universal Casing Co., Y. Yasinaki, William H. Young.

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Cash Assets, 150,000.00

Total Assets (including re-insurance), 9,564,743.00

Amount of Cash Surplus, \$110,000.00

Contingent Assets, 120,000.00

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STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1914.

Amount at Risk, \$7,108,616.00

Cash Assets, 150,000.00

Total Assets (including re-insurance), 7,258,616.00

Amount of Cash Surplus, \$454,961.00

Contingent Assets, 120,000.00

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DILLON-FLANAGAN.

Miss Nora M. Flanagan and T. Edward Dillon, well-known young people of the city, were married at seven o'clock Monday night by Rev. Fr. John J. Shanley at St. John's church. The ceremony was performed at the parish house.

Miss Sadie Flanagan, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and Edward Sweeney was the best man. The bride was dressed in a mahogany colored travelling suit and wore a picture hat to match.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents on Field street, after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Dillon were assisted in receiving by the immediate members of the family. A wedding supper was served. The couple received many handsome and costly wedding gifts from their many friends.

Toward midnight Mr. and Mrs. Dillon left on a wedding trip. They will be at home to their friends at 26 Field street after April 1.

Mrs. Dillon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Flanagan and the groom is a conductor employed by the Bay State Street Railway.

## ADAMS SCHOOL.

The weather of the past week has been too severe for the new Adams school and as a result plumbers and steam fitters are repairing damages estimated at about \$225, due to the bursting of pipes. In the basement the plumbing was damaged to such an extent that it will cost a trifle more than \$100 to replace pipes and bowls. The balance of the cost will be made up in renewing a radiator return which burst between the floors in the second story, causing considerable damage.

The building during the cold snap was heated with extreme difficulty and sessions were suspended on the north side of the building. The pupils of those rooms were changed to the rooms on the south side of the building. There was no overcrowding owing to the slim attendance.

Without waiting for her to object, and almost before she had realized what she was doing, he had lifted her in his strong arms and had borne her across the muddy crossing.

"What a splendid fellow he is!" Hetty thought, with a shy glance into his face. "She has always been proud of her brother's praises in my ears at school, but I never thought he could be so genial. It is strange that he did not introduce himself; and I don't like his familiar manner in calling me Hetty. But I presume he feels quite well acquainted with me through Sue, though tonight I shall stand on my dignity and show him there is a proper way of forming an acquaintance. I am too queer now for anything. I don't believe I would care

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It's the bloom'n' we you tyke it. Don't you know?

It's a most h'obbling bubble. H'tif you like it full of trouble, you can find your share an' double. Don't you know?

You can tyke your time or 'urry. Don't you know?

But the world ain't goin' to worry. Don't you know?

You can lart or be a moocher; Be a Wellington, or Blucher Or whatever 't'is will suit yer, Don't you know?

H'tis your own life that you's living. Don't you know?

Hand no thought to you's h'tis giving. Don't you know?

H'tif you want to be a kill joy Go ahead and 'ave your spill boy You can 'ave it with a will, boy. Don't you know?

If it's as joy for those who like it. Don't you know?

But h'tis 't'up to you to strike it. Don't you know?

H'tif you really want the glad things You will pick 'em from the sad things. And the miserable bad things. Don't you know?

—Detroit Free Press

## THE TWO HETTIES.

Paul Andrus drew a long sigh of relief, as he laid the letter he had been reading on the table.

"She says that she will come and take charge of the house and Allie," he meditated, "I must have some one, and a poor little old maid like her will be very glad of a comfortable home."

"Let me see," he continued, "I remember that mother said her sister Hetty was a wee little tot when she married father and left home. She has never seen her sister since. My Aunt Hetty must be about 35. Of course, she will look much younger, for old maids take good care to conceal their age."

"It is nearly train time," he said, glancing at the clock on the mantel, "and it is raining. I wish I had a carriage to bring the dear little woman home in; but, since I can't afford such luxuries, I will make her as comfortable as I can without. She will be such a blessing to me and my little neglected sister. The sieve I have had with stupid servants was enough to drive a man mad. Aunt Hetty will soon make this place more homelike."

With romantic visions of Aunt Hetty's serene face floating through his mind's eye, and a bundle of wraps, to shield the "dear little woman" from rain, under one arm, while a mammoth umbrella was held firmly in position by the opposite hand, Paul Andrus started for the station, nor did he arrive a moment too soon.

Quite a number of gentlemen stepped out of the train, but only two solitary female figures.

One was a dumpty little woman, with a puff of snowy hair showing under the brim of her ancient bonnet, and was a worried look in the eyes, turned inquiringly upon the strange faces about her.

"Please, marm, be you Hetty—Hetty—forget the other name," said an awkward coachman, approaching her.

"Yes," she said, with an emphatic nod, "I'm Hetty. I don't know of any nephew to send such a fine carriage for me. He must be rich to afford it."

The coachman hurried her into the carriage, closed the door with a bang, mounted to his seat and drove off in the darkness.

Paul Andrus did not hear their conversation, after menting deciding that the "dumpty little woman" was "some one's grandmother," he glanced about in search of his "Aunt Hetty."

A pretty girlish face, with a tangle of nut-brown hair escaping from the coil at the back of her head, turned world of trouble in the blue eyes, attracted his attention.

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"Oh, yes!" said she quickly, in tones of relief. "I am Hetty, and you have been so kind to me. I am so glad to see you. I was so worried for a minute, for fear my letter had miscarried; and I have such a terrible headache."

"Your letter came all right," he said cheerfully, beginning to wrap her in the waterproof he had brought. "I am so sorry that I have no carriage, but I never thought he could be so genial. It is strange that he did not introduce himself; and I don't like his familiar manner in calling me Hetty. But I presume he feels quite well acquainted with me through Sue, though tonight I shall stand on my dignity and show him there is a proper way

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FIRST PARISH CLUB.

For a time, Tuesday evening, the members of the First Parish club were transferred from the cosy chapel of the First church to the battlefields of Pea Ridge one of the early conflicts of the Civil war of which but little has been recorded in history and with Col. Anderson as their leader the vivid scenes of those trying days were vividly brought to mind.

This engagement was fought during the early days of March, or be more exact on March 6, 1862 between the Union forces under Gen. Curtis and the Confederates under Gen. Van Dorn resulting in the defeat of the Confederates.

The scene of the battle was in a range of hills in Benton county, Arkansas, near the northern corner of the state. Col. Anderson took a prominent part in that battle and he was an eye witness to many of the incidents which he described.

As usual the members of the club assembled at 6 o'clock in the lower room and at 6.30 a roast beef supper was served. The front of the head table on the platform was festooned with a large American flag while a second flag formed the background.

Seated at this table besides the speaker of the evening and Rev. A. L. Hudson, president of the club, were: Commander Chauncey M. Loring, Surgeon James W. Pierce and Commander Joseph A. Lapham, Post 88 G. A. R., who were special guests of the evening.

The dinner over the doors back of the head table were raised, disclosing a camp scene. In the direct front were two stacks of guns while on one side was a three pole tent, and on the opposite side the standard of colors. Between was a large American flag, while in the rear, the whole making an imposing scene, appropriate to the occasion.

Just as President Hudson was about to introduce the speaker of the evening, the club broke out into song, singing that well known army song "Tenting tonight under the stars."

It was an impressive scene and could not help but thrill those present.

Col. Anderson apologized for using notes, saying that after 53 years and the forgetfulness due to one of four score years it was necessary especially when dealing with historic facts. In opening he said that he was delighted to be surrounded by old comrades, although they were in the east and he was in the west. The Union forces in those days were made up of untrained recruits, the ranks being filled with men from the slums of the big cities who fought side by side with clerks, college graduates and professors. Often captains elected by the companies did not have the least idea of company formation. Such were the men who fought the battles at the beginning of the war.

Col. Anderson said that he was captured twice during the war, once to escape both times, once by the aid of a friendly negro, and the second time by the aid of a bowie knife. He then described the formation of the country where the battle was fought and the many incidents leading up to the final struggle, and of the many skirmishes which preceded it. He spoke of the battle of Fort Mifflin, and the movements of the various divisions and of the final struggle which resulted in victory for the Union forces.

He also spoke of the horrible war fighting by the Indians who were fighting with the Confederates against the Union soldiers, stripped them and mutilated their bodies. It was a horrible scene of carnage.

Then he spoke of the splendid work of the untrained Union soldiers. To Gen. Franz Sigel, he gave the credit of saving the day for the Union forces. Speaking of Indians he said he never saw a good Indian unless he was dead.

Many of the Union troops were under fire at the battle for the first time and it is worthy of comment that they stood with uplifted heads and obeyed the commands. It was a fight for their homes and their lives. They were seeing scenes of horror for the first time, but they were heroes and did not quail. It was an awful baptism of blood, but the whole south-west was saved by that battle.

Col. Anderson spoke for nearly an hour and he was followed closely and with intense interest by his hearers who at the conclusion of his paper arose as one man and cheered him to the echo.

One or two asked questions, and at the close of the evening many went forward to shake the colonel by the hand and personally express their appreciation of the interesting bit of history which he had given them, for they had been enlightened on some of the horrors of warfare by one who had been in the thick of it.

WARD THREE CAUCUS.

The caucus in Ward Three on Tuesday was quite largely attended a total vote of 228 being cast. There was no contest among the Democrats and Robert T. Foye received the full Democratic strength of 12 votes.

No nominations were made by the Progressives but the name of Andrew H. Morrison was written on the ballot by two voters and he may receive the Progressive nomination. Mr. Morrison was also a candidate for the Republican nomination but was defeated, the nomination going to Charles F. Barnicoat.

The vote for the Republican nomination was as follows:  
Charles F. Barnicoat, 129  
Andrew H. Morrison, 102  
August V. Johnson, 30  
James Joss, 27  
Blanks, 3

A hot fight was waged at the caucus and it was fairly close between Mr. Barnicoat and Mr. Morrison. The special election will be held March 10.

HIGH SCHOOL DRAMATICS.

The Senior Dramatics will be given by the members of the Senior class of the High school on or about April 17 and this afternoon tryouts will be given so that the cast can be chosen. A "Pair of Crackers," a three-act piece, brim full of fun and liveliness has been chosen as the vehicle in which they will ride to success. Miss Davies of the English department will coach during the early rehearsals but it is thought that pressure of duty will require that she relinquish her position before the final rehearsals.

BRIEFS

Quincy court, M. C. O. F. will hold a roll call and identification meeting at G. A. R. hall, March 4.

Miss Lizzie Gilbert of Braintree is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Fernald of Edwards street.

Mrs. Edward H. Penniman of Winthrop, Me., is the guest of Mrs. Mabel Keene of Washington street.

One of the largest gatherings of the season attended the fourth annual session of the Hadenosauette tribe, No. 62, Independent Order of Redmen, in Alpha hall, Friday night, Feb. 13.

Congratulations to Grandpa and Mrs. Charles B. Huston on the arrival of their first grandchild, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Jacobs, born at Cambridge, Feb. 13.

The many friends of Mrs. Charles H. Penniman, who has been confined to her home for several weeks by illness, will be glad to learn that she is convalescent, although still unable to leave her home.

Mount Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows already has a large class of candidates to initiate on its 30th anniversary, Tuesday, March 10. Other plans are being made to celebrate the anniversary.

Rodney John Matheson, brother of Mrs. Lena Kerr, died Monday night at the Tewksbury Tuberculosis Hospital, where he has been a patient for several months. He was 42 years of age and unmarried.

Senator Langelier addressed the Current Events club at Hyde Park, Tuesday morning, on legislation in general. Lieut. Gov. Barry also spoke. About 400 ladies were in attendance.

Poole's Boston orchestra will furnish music for the annual concert and hall of Mount Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows at Music hall, Thursday evening, March 12. The concert program includes five numbers.

Joseph Mulligan, a conductor on the Bay State street railway, died at his home at 24 Wesson avenue, Thursday in his 32nd year. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foxwell Mulligan, two brothers, James and Paul and several sisters.

This Saturday evening the Granite City club will follow its usual custom of keeping open house on the evening before a holiday. A buffet lunch will be served the entire evening and the latch string will be out for members and their friends.

The members of the Pastime Club and friends trooped to Brockton Thursday night where they attended the dance given by the Taychona girls in Canton hall. They arrived back in Quincy shortly before midnight.

Nine tables were in play Wednesday evening at the weekly whist tournament of the Granite City club. The two best scores of the evening were made by Dennis Crowley and Nathan Ellis. As usual a lunch was served after the tournament.

Charles H. Johnson has purchased through the agency of William F. Donovan one of the comfortable homes built by Charles Erickson on Upland road and has moved to the same. His many friends are pleased that he is still a resident of Ward One.

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George Monk was one of the players at the Peabody ball given at the Copley Plaza, Wednesday evening.

Fred B. Rice is entertaining a house party at his farm over the week end and holiday.

No issue of the Daily Ledger next Monday, which will be observed as Washington's Birthday.

Organizations which take all their printing to amateurs or out of town should not expect free advance publicity in the local newspapers. It is false economy that never pays.

Miss Elizabeth S. Gilbert has returned to her home at Weymouth Heights, after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Fernald of 51 Edwards street.

The Hospital Aid Association is to meet next Thursday afternoon at half past two with Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur of Elm street, corner of Miller Stile road.

Mrs. Ada M. Kershaw who spent a number of years in Quincy passed away Saturday Feb. 14 at the home of her son Charles E. Kershaw in Manchester, N. H.

Fragrant society of the First Parish church is arranging for a parish supper to be served in the chapel previous to the annual parish meeting in March.

Laura A. Lane, widow of Louis Lane died at the Waltham Home for Aged People at East Braintree on Friday in her 79th year. She was the mother-in-law of John Smith, a granite man who died in this city a few weeks ago.

The Makaria fraternity, of which Charles Ganel is a member, have contributed the sum of \$81 to the fund being raised for him. This and other recent contributions have brought the total up to \$1,371.71.

The T. L. Sturgeants of Adams street are enjoying their annual cruise off the coast of Florida and are heard of from various resorts, their headquarters being in the vicinity of Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Hall of Upland road are to entertain the Pickwick club Wednesday evening when "Sufrage" will be the evening's subject with Miss Elizabeth Hubbard and John O. Hall as the committee.

The funeral of Mrs. William Hill was held from her home at 62 Sherbrooke avenue, Braintree, Sunday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. J. A. Mitchell of the Baptist church. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

The ringing of the burglar alarm of the Quincy Department store Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night created much excitement and patrolmen on duty in City Square were besieged by breathless and excited travelers, all in a hurry to report "burglars," but it was a false alarm.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson of School street have given up their usual late winter trip South. Mrs. Stetson was so much benefited by her long stay at the Cape last summer that she prefers to pass the winter in Quincy and go down early in the spring to their Cape cottage.

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The two verdicts against the Old Colony Street Railway Company, aggregating \$6250 were returned by a jury in Norfolk Superior Court at Dedham on Monday. David B. Godfrey of Weymouth was awarded \$2500 and Robert M. Wood, \$2000. Both verdicts for \$10,000 damages for personal injuries, which they received Jan. 5, 1911, in consequence of a collision between a street car and a wagon in Newcomb square, Quincy.

About forty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ritchie tendered them a merry surprise party Saturday evening at their home on 1493 Quincy avenue. During the evening, Mrs. Ritchie was presented with a locket and chain on the occasion of her birthday. The evening passed pleasantly with games, dancing and refreshments together with entertainments to the enjoyment of the party.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Oliver of 36 Mill street Tuesday announced the engagement of their daughter Miss Ethel May Oliver and Myron B. Small of Hyde Park also of their son, Harry W. Oliver of Hoosac, Mass., and Miss Christy Rose of Providence, R. I.

The alarm from Box 71 at 10.20 Wednesday night was a false alarm. The apparatus made good time in reaching the scene in spite of the hard going, but found no sign of a fire, or nothing to indicate who had sounded the alarm.

Although the weather was rather inauspicious the whist party at the Town River yacht club house Thursday evening was largely attended. Play was kept throughout the evening and an enjoyable evening was had. There were fifteen tables in play and the prizes for the best scores were awarded to Robert Lincoln, Jacob Peterson, C. C. Foster, G. Foster and Gilbert Arnold. It was the general impression that more of the same kind should be held. The members of the club are now looking forward to the yachtmen's supper to be held on Thursday evening, Feb. 26.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cook of Hersey place passed away Thursday. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon.

DANIEL J. NYHAN.

District Engineer Daniel J. Nyhan of Atlantic, passed away on Tuesday at his home on Hancock street, after a long illness, aged 55 years. The condition of Engineer Nyhan for several weeks had been such that his death was expected at any time, but it happened this morning, while an alarm from Box 68 at 5.45 was ringing and the apparatus from the Atlantic station was rushing through Squantum street, almost by the home of Engineer Nyhan, that he breathed his last.

Engineer Nyhan had charge of the Atlantic district for some years, and when Chief Billings assumed office the first of the month, while it was known that Engineer Nyhan would probably never recover, he was appointed as one of the three district engineers, a compliment which was greatly appreciated by Engineer Nyhan and which served to brighten his last days.

Mr. Nyhan was born in St. John's N. B. in 1861, where he obtained his early education and learned the trade of a moulder, which he has since followed. Seeking for a larger field of labor he came to Quincy in 1878, and a year later to Quincy, where he entered the employ of the Wollaston Foundry Co. where he was employed until 1895 when he opened a brass foundry at Wollaston which he has since carried on.

He has been interested in the fire department since 1880, when he became a member of Chemical Co. located at Atlantic; continuing with that company up to 1888.

He was assistant chief under Chief Walter H. Ripley, during his term of service under Mayor Fairbanks. He was also foreman of the Atlantic company under Chief Williams.

When Chief Packard was appointed by Mayor Sears in 1898, Mr. Nyhan was appointed an assistant engineer, which office he has held ever since, being re-appointed every year. In all his experience with the fire department he has proved himself an efficient fire fighter.

He was very popular with the residents of Ward Six and was affiliated with a number of organizations and societies. He was also up to a year ago president of the Norfolk County branch of the Federation of Catholic societies and parishes, but declined re-election a year ago on account of ill health, and as a mark of appreciation of his work he was made vice president. He has also at various times held office in the Quincy Firemen's Relief Association. He leaves a widow and two daughters.

The funeral was held Thursday from the Sacred Heart Church, Atlantic and was very largely attended by aside from many of his personal friends there was a delegation of forty permanent and call firemen under Chief Billings, as well as delegations from the different societies with which he was affiliated.

The firemen escorted the body from the house to the church and after the mass escorted the cortege a short distance they then took an electric car for West Quincy, meeting the cortege at the West Quincy engine house, from which point it was escorted to St. Mary's cemetery.

Rev. John P. Cuff celebrated the Mass while on the altar were Rev. Fr. McNiff and Monsignor A. F. Roche of Watertown, formerly of West Quincy, who gave the eulogy. There was a profusion of beautiful flowers including set pieces from the organizations with which he was affiliated and from the Firemen's Relief association, and ex-Chief A. L. Litchfield who was among those present. The bearers included two firemen and two from each of the societies with which he was affiliated.

SUBMARINE AWARDS.

Awards for the construction of three submarines have been made at the navy department. Two of them will be built by the Electric Boat Company at a contract price of \$455,000 each. The third will be built on a different plan, a God whom Christ revealed. Not a license to construct being purchased from the Lake Torpedo Boat Company.

The audiences at Bethany church on Sunday were nearly equal to those of Go-to-Church Sunday, especially in the evening when there were nearly 700. Rev. B. A. Willmott's message in the morning was "Great decisions" and in the evening a lecture on "Protestantism—The God we worship."

Protestantism, he said, is a God whom Christ revealed. Not a God of fear, but a God of love. A God in whom we can trust in this life and in the life to come.

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Scarcely have the echoes of the acclaim with which the night of Abraham Lincoln was hailed, faded into silence, when again we welcome the coming of the anniversary of a birth of that great American, of an earlier period, whose name shines with brighter luster with passing generations. The name and fame of George Washington looms nothing in comparison with the brilliant constellations of noted Americans who have shone upon the pages of our history since his day.

He sacrificed all the physical comfort known in his day, preferring the rough life of the field and the camp, with its sometimes appalling hardships that he might be of service to his country; pursuing the even tenor of his way when reviled and misunderstood, and later when the tide turned in his favor, refusing to consider the crown which might have been his, that the "government of the people, by the people" might be established.

It is cause for wonder that his story still inspires legends of our country to noble aspirations and noble deeds? We should feel that the great "melting pot" of this nation, later to include the 22d of February as a day of special observance, one for eulogy and for eloquence. Teachers of patriotism can have no better theme than this, no finer object lesson to place before the children, especially the little aliens who are being fused into the great "melting pot" of this nation, later to be moulded into American citizens.

## FOR DEPRESSION.

At a meeting of Quincy branch of the Granite Cutters International Association Wednesday evening, it was voted that the branch report on the acceptance of the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R.'s plans for abolishing the grade crossings in this city.

The objections against the Railroad's plan have been voiced from platforms and reported in newspapers in this city so many times, it is needless to go into detail in connection with same. Suffice to say that it seems strange that the railroad would object to the proposed City plan on account of cost, particularly when we know that recent investigations in connection with the expense accounts of the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. have shown that hundreds of thousands of dollars have been expended by this railroad in an effort to lead legislation into what the railroad officials would term the proper channels.

We feel that the proposed City plan was the only plan which dealt fairly and equitably with all citizens, particularly those of them who have property adjoining the railroad, and when we know the Railroad's plan puts School Street twelve feet higher in the air than it is at present, and Water street, ten feet lower, it must be admitted that there is no comparison between the two plans. The proposed City plan involves such changes and a plan which maintains a perfect level between Wollaston and Quincy Adams and such is the condition obtaining in the City plan.

Representative Michael Sullivan brought in a bill the day, the purpose of which was to have a law enacted compelling the railroad to abolish grade crossings as per "City Plan" but before the Legislature had an opportunity to act on same, Mayor Miller accepted the Railroad's plan, and we have every reason to believe that Mr. Sullivan's bill would have become law. The vigorous Boston, in every organization in Quincy during the past four years must have had some bearing with the Legislature.

(Signed) JAMES F. REID, Corresponding Secretary.

## PORTRAIT OF MR. ADAMS.

Much favorable comment is heard from those who have seen the portrait of Charles Francis Adams by Robert Knapp, exhibited at the Doll & Richards galleries, Boston. The portrait of Mr. Adams is full length and life size and is painted for the Massachusetts Historical Society.

It is an impressive and dignified composition, rich in color, unusual in design, a striking piece of characterization. No less than four different kinds of reds enter into the color scheme, those of the leather-upholstered chair of the presiding officer of the Massachusetts Historical Society, of the faded crimson carpet, of the darker crimson curtains, and of the fiery glow from the fireplace in the background. The way in which these difficult tones have been brought into harmony and concord by the artist is quite a triumph. They are united by the black of the Princeton gown worn by Mr. Adams, by the dull gold of the picture frame which surrounds the Copsey portrait, and by the leather of John Quincy Adams, hanging over the carved marble mantelpiece, and by the various other connecting links in the elaborate scheme of color; and in spite of the interest that attaches to the many accessories, which make a mere portrait, the chief interest does not last and center in the remarkable painting of the man's own personality, as it should.

It is interesting to learn that when this portrait was to be painted, Mr. Adams intimated to the artist that he did not especially care for the literal correctness of the likeness, and the inference is that he considered the beauty of the work the prime thing. It is also interesting to know that the introduction of the rich scheme of red tones in the background was suggested by Mr. Adams himself, who, after the portrait had been painted, employed a number of his retainers to paint the portrait with Titian in his portraits.

## HOLIDAY TRAINS.

On account of the observance of Washington's Birthday the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, following its usual custom, will discontinue a number of local trains into the Boston morning of Feb. 23 and return trains.

Notices have been posted informing the public of special stops that will be made by regular trains into and out of the city to cover the service dispensed with on this holiday.

## TENNIS CLUB DANCE.

The Quincy Tennis club is to give its second dance of the season on Friday evening, Feb. 27 at Quincy Music hall with the following list of patrons:

Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Abele, Mrs. Charles A. George, Mrs. Edward H. Angier, Mrs. Charles E. Barker, Mrs. Herbert S. Barker, Mrs. William R. Bateman, Mrs. Paul R. Blackman, Mrs. H. Blanchard, Mrs. Frederick H. Brodsky, Mrs. George H. Brown, Mrs. Charles M. Bryant, Mrs. John D. Buckingham, Miss Charlotte Burgess, Mrs. Walter E. Burke, Mrs. William E. Cooper, Mrs. J. Crain, Mrs. Emory L. Crane, Mrs. Joseph A. Dasha, Mrs. Thomas B. Davenport, Mrs. Carl E. Davis, Mrs. William H. Doble, Mrs. Herbert Drake, Mrs. Harace R. Drinkwater, Mrs. James L. Edwards, Mrs. Nixon W. Elmer, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, Mrs. Henry E. Frick, Mrs. Richard R. Freeman, Mrs. Lorenzo H. Gilson, Mrs. Luther W. Glover, Mrs. Arthur W. Johnson, Mrs. Henry L. Kincaid, Mrs. Harry L. Kitchin, Mrs. Joseph H. Hall, Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick, Mrs. Sidney C. Hardwick, Mrs. Arthur B. Hillman, Mrs. Henry R. Holden, Mrs. Walter B. Holden, Mrs. Carl L. Homer, Mrs. Nathaniel S. Huntington, Mrs. Edwin E. Davis.

Mrs. Edward E. Jameson, Mrs. John H. Johnson, Mrs. Henry L. Kincaid, Mrs. Henry H. Kitchin, Mrs. Carl E. Lane, Mrs. George A. Lane, Mrs. Thomas Lacey, Mrs. Herbert Lawton, Mrs. Perry Lawton, Mrs. Jesse L. Litchfield, Mrs. E. E. Livingston, Mrs. Ralph N. Lovell, Mrs. Russell C. Low, Mrs. A. W. Marshall, Miss Maud N. Marshall, Mrs. J. R. Marshall, Mrs. William B. Nichols, Mrs. John J. Nolan, Mrs. Warren G. Ogden, Mrs. Walter M. Packard, Mrs. Frank A. Page, Mrs. James F. Paige, Mrs. W. G. A. Pattee, Mrs. Geo. E. Pfaffmann, Mrs. Alva H. Pierce, Mrs. Henry W. Porter, Mrs. Charles A. Price, Mrs. John E. Proddy, Mrs. Alfred H. Quirk, Mrs. Harry L. Rice, Mrs. James A. Ring, Mrs. James P. Roberts, Mrs. Walter L. Sargent, Mrs. Joseph M. Sheahan, Mrs. Carl R. Sheppard, Mrs. John O. Short, Mrs. Fred Simpson, Mrs. James H. Slade, Mrs. Frederick H. Smith, Mrs. G. Gerrish Smith, Mrs. Maurice P. Spillane, Mrs. James H. Storer, Mrs. Morton T. Swallow, Mrs. Gordon B. Trowbridge, Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth, Mrs. Robert P. Walker, Mrs. Frank H. Walsh, Mrs. Joseph L. Whiton and Mrs. Ira M. Whittemore.

The ushers: Herbert S. Barker, Jr., Walter H. Binham, Paul R. Blackman, J. R. Blackman, John J. Crain, Jr., and Crane L. Kenneth Edwards, William C. Edwards, Henry M. Faxon, Henry R. Holden, Delevare King, Carl E. Lane, Hobart A. Lawton, Warren G. Ogden, George E. Pfaffmann, John S. Padden, Henry W. Porter, Charles A. Price, Fred B. Rice, F. Schoenbeck, Carl R. Sheppard, James H. Slade, Morton Smith and Morton T. Swallow.

Patrons will be Mrs. Clarence Burz, Mrs. Joseph B. Groce and Mrs. Russell A. Sears.

## SACRED HEART BENIGN.

Rev. Fr. John P. Cuffe, the dean of Catholic priests of Quincy, and many parishioners, assembled in Alpha hall Monday night at the eleventh annual reunion of Sacred Heart parish of Atlantic. Weather conditions seriously interfered with the affair, which before the storm broke had given indications of being a most successful event of parish history. All that did attend, a comfortable 300, men, women and children, however, entered joyously into the spirit of the occasion.

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## GRADE CROSSING DISCUSSED.

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The meeting was opened by temporary chairman James Joss and Joseph B. Grossman acted as secretary pro tem.

The committee appointed at last meeting to look up suitable quarters for meeting purposes reported and it was decided to hold the next meeting in Clam MacGregor hall, on Wednesday evening, March 4.

Chairman J. Joss, representing a committee which was appointed to draw up by-laws, reported and presented a copy of by-laws which had been drawn. These were read by the secretary and it was decided to act on their acceptance and to elect officers at the next meeting of the association.

At the meeting of the association, which was held on Wednesday evening, the plan of grade crossing abolition by the elevation of the railroad tracks, which has been accepted by the Public Service Commission. He told in detail the different parts of the plan, without giving his opinion as to whether or not depression was better than elevation.

Principal Assessor G. B. Bates, who was on hand, entered into a discussion with Mr. Sargent concerning the plan and then explained the Bates plan and the City plan, both of which provided for the depression of the tracks through Quincy.

Mayor Miller was present. Any rumors which may have been around the city that there was a breach between the Mayor and Principal Assessor because of their disagreement in regard to depression may be laid to rest. Mr. Bates denied it, and his denial was quickly concurred in by the Mayor himself.

His Honor said that his reasons for his opinion in regard to the plans which have been passed on favorably by the Public Service Commission in favor of elevation of the railroad tracks were because all the expert engineers had said that the plan of elevation was best, and that depression was not a serious matter, and that he preferred the testimony of experts to the flow of oratory and the beautiful silver hair of Mr. Bates. He had been told that under no conditions whatsoever would the Public Service Commission consider any other plan for the abolition of grade crossings than that which they had passed on.

City Engineer Sargent took occasion to say that if the city did not accept the decree of the Commission the question would again go back seven years and it would take that long before there would again be as much advancement on the proposition as there now is.

John Q. A. Field declared himself against depression as he thought that there would be a depreciation of 50 per cent in the value of real estate on the line of the railroad. He gave as an example the city of Newton, where the tracks were depressed and said that the real estate had depreciated in value there a great deal.

At this point Mr. Bates contradicted the foregoing statement. He said that he had been appointed as principal assessor by the Mayor to lower the tax rate and that, if the plan of elevation were carried out the tax rate would be increased at least 20 per cent. Mr. Bates set forth the disadvantages of elevation very emphatically. He said that this would mean tying up many streets and some would be taken away entirely by the railroad. On the contrary the plan of depression was of benefit to the City of Quincy and would result in a saving of money to see that it was carried out.

It was argued that a committee be appointed to attend the hearing at the State House on Thursday on the petition of Mayor Miller that the grade crossings be abolished by the City of Quincy. It is hoped that any club member of Massachusetts who plans to attend the biennial will notify Mr. George W. Perkins, president of the State Federation, as soon as possible, that adequate arrangements may be made.

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The general committee in charge of the evening were George H. Jaques, chairman, Commodore J. R. Mellen, William T. Curran, W. C. Luther, William T. Irwin, A. MacGachrie, M. H. Harmon, A. J. Coates, Arthur Porter, Edward F. M. Royce, W. N. Newcomb, T. M. Gable, Eugene Gaudreau and William G. The dancing was in charge of ex-Commodore Thompson B. Crane and Elijah P. Barrows.

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## AMONG THE CLUBS.

The current events class of the Wollaston Woman's club scheduled for Feb. 23 has been postponed to March 20.

Monday afternoon was president day with the Monday club of Wollaston and there was a large gathering of members and guests in Masonic Temple, East Weymouth. Among the speakers were Mrs. Chandler W. Smith of the Quincy Women's club, Mrs. George O. Wales of the Braintree Philharmonic and Mrs. George O. Jenkinson of the Whitman Woman's club.

A movement which should have the endorsement of the women of the state, is the effort being made to influence the merchants of Boston to postpone the holiday sales for several days after Christmas, rather than opening them the day following, as is now the custom. The executive board of the Massachusetts Federation of Women's Clubs has voted to co-operate with the Consumers' League in their efforts in this direction.

Mrs. Edward B. Marsh and Miss Harriet Bailey Pierce have charge of Monday's meeting of Quincy Alliance in the parlor of the First Parish church. Mrs. Jeffie E. Donahue is to speak on "Observance of the Alliance to the Young People."

The Society of the Massachusetts Daughters of the Revolution will meet to observe Washington's birthday Monday afternoon at two o'clock at Hotel Vendome, Boston. The same week, on Friday, the Society will hold its annual sale of fancy and useful articles at the rooms of the New England Genealogical Society, 9 Ashburton place, Boston. Luncheon will be served from 12 until 2 and a program given at three o'clock.

Rev. Charles E. Park was unable to be present at the last meeting of Wollaston Alliance and members were entertained by one of their own members, Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney who gave one of her interesting literary talks. Next Wednesday Mrs. Robert E. Park is to speak on "How art touches life."

The next current events lecture under the auspices of the Literature committee of the Quincy Women's club, will be given at the club house, 15 Park street, on Wednesday afternoon Feb. 25. This committee is also busy at work on its club afternoon, April 28 when the program will be the presentation of The Merry-moon Monthly with contents and illustrations by club members.

The Hospital Aid Association holds its February meeting Thursday afternoon the 26th with its president Mrs. Blackman of Elm street.

The Education department of the Massachusetts State Federation is to issue Feb. 15, a pamphlet on Vocational Education. March 15 a pamphlet on the Education of the Immigrant. April 15 one on Political Science. Club members may obtain copies of Elton Carlisle Ripley, 1247 Commonwealth avenue, Boston.

Plans for the biennial meetings in Chicago next June are developing very. Arrangements have been made for the delegates to meet each Saturday at a hotel, and the Congress has been chosen for Massachusetts. It is conveniently situated on the lake and very near the Auditorium, where the meetings are to be held. There is a subway connecting the two which will add much to the convenience of the delegates and guests. It is hoped that any club member of Massachusetts who plans to attend the biennial will notify Mr. George W. Perkins, president of the State Federation, as soon as possible, that adequate arrangements may be made.

Owing to the illness of many children the committee of the Quincy Day Nursery Association decided to postpone the Valentine dance from Feb. 14 to Saturday afternoon Feb. 28. The place, committee, matrons and ushers will be the same as first announced.

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The general committee in charge of the evening were George H. Jaques, chairman, Commodore J. R. Mellen, William T. Curran, W. C. Luther, William T. Irwin, A. MacGachrie, M. H. Harmon, A. J. Coates, Arthur Porter, Edward F. M. Royce, W. N. Newcomb, T. M. Gable, Eugene Gaudreau and William G. The dancing was in charge of ex-Commodore Thompson B. Crane and Elijah P. Barrows.

Co-operating with the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, the Agricultural College at Amherst, has made arrangements for an Extension School in Pomology to be held in Boston next week, Feb. 24 to 28 inclusive. The lectures are free and everyone interested is cordially invited. They will be held in Horticultural hall, corner Massachusetts and Huntington avenues, beginning each morning at 9.30. All phases of fruit growing will be dealt with by Professors Sears, Chenoweth, Waugh and Conner, Dr. Shaw and Messrs. Haskins and Rees from the College. Wilfr

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## Notes and Comments.

At a recent meeting of western New York publishers in Rochester plans were made for putting a check on what they termed advertising space grafters. One of the publishers bravely placed Uncle Sam on the black list, saying: "Publishers of weekly newspapers are greeted by many requests to publish notices about the parcel post, and have even observed that the postmasters have been instructed to obtain all possible publicity for the system without expense to the department. The government made money last year in competing with express companies and we think it can and should do better this year." It can safely be assumed that no intelligent newspaper conductor will bar information about the postal service that might be of advantage to his readers.—Milford Gazette.

A strong plea for the home was made by Miss Jane Adams the other day in a speech at the dedication of the new Salvation Army home for young women in Chicago. Next to the real home the best that could be offered, she said, was an institution such as this, and there is need of more. In 1900 there were 148,827 women in the city living in homes other than their own; she hoped that eventually there might be homes for working women of all classes. Yet she was frank to say that in her opinion artificial home life could never take the place of the thing, and she called the homeless women the problem of the age.—Tampa Herald.

Reference is often made to the "identical fact" that Roman Catholic churches are crowded while Protestant churches there is often but a small congregation. The inference drawn is commonly uncomplimentary to the Protestant churches. But a moment's reflection with a little arithmetic puts a different face on the matter. Take, for instance Harvard Square in Cambridge, Mass. Within a few minutes' walk from the First Parish church there is the chapel of Harvard College, one Swedishborgian church, two Episcopal, one Congregational, one Baptist, one Methodist, one Christian Science, and—but one Roman Catholic church. The inference drawn is commonly uncomplimentary to the Protestant churches. But a moment's reflection with a little arithmetic puts a different face on the matter. Take, for instance Harvard Square in Cambridge, Mass. Within a few minutes' walk from the First Parish church there is the chapel of Harvard College, one Swedishborgian church, two Episcopal, one Congregational, one Baptist, one Methodist, one Christian Science, and—but one Roman Catholic church.

Coffee drinking is now a matter of every-day living, and it is hard to realize that once there was a strong movement against the habit, a woman's petition against drinking coffee, some years ago, asserting that it "encouraged idleness and talkativeness, and led men to trifle away their time, scald their chops, and spend their money," a severe arraignment, even against liquor drinking. The advice "be temperate in all things," perhaps might be better, no sign of moderation, as well as to other habits.—Old Colony Memorial.

It is plain enough to anybody who tries to keep in touch with public sentiment, that Gov. Walsh has already made a good impression on the public all over the state. It is conceded that there are few indications of anything like a disposition to "play politics," and many indications that he is doing just what he believes will be for the best interests of the common weal. His appointments have already won for him deserved praise, as proof that he is trying to put into office the very best men he can get to serve the state. With such a beginning, the present administration may easily prove to be an era of good feeling on Beacon hill with the element of partisanship reduced to a minimum.—Boston Advertiser.

Boston has in progress a novel method of warfare upon the habit of liquor drinking, and the experiment is being watched with considerable interest by those interested in the suppression of the liquor evil. Posters are the weapons in use, and instead of arguing that men should be prohibited from drinking, they appeal to the reason, showing from statistics that a very large percentage of the men who are partly or wholly injured by accidents, owe their misfortune to the liquor habit. A fair statement of the figures in the matter will count for more than impassioned prohibition speeches which often times arouse feeling of antagonism and stubbornness. It is the coming generations which will solve the liquor question, and they will be more certainly convinced by appeals to their intelligence than by any other method.—Old Colony Memorial.

## MONDAY'S STORM.

Quincy in common with other cities and towns in New England has been experiencing recent winter weather this month, especially for the past week or ten days. Monday, however, will go down in the winter's history as a most disagreeable day. Hardly had the snow of Saturday got settled before another storm came. It began to snow Monday morning and continued all day. The snow was of the fine light dry quality and the high wind which accompanied the storm blew the snow about, which resulted more or less in drifts. It was not especially hard getting about until late in the afternoon and early evening. Then it was that the wind increased in velocity and the snow was blown about in blinding clouds. At the same time the temperature began to drop and at 7 o'clock in the evening it was most disagreeable.

## CITY COUNCIL.

Although the wind was howling and a light snow was being blown in great clouds about the streets, and the city was running of time, these elements did not prevent a good attendance at the regular meeting of the City Council, some of the members from Wollaston going there waiting for a car walked the whole distance. Even the two members from Squantum were present in time to answer to the roll call. Some of the members were a little late, but there were but two absent members, Councilmen Bass and O'Dowd, and illness was the cause of the latter's absence.

There was also a good attendance of city officials, even the Mayor bringing the elements to be present. In point of important orders, it was a busy session for there were several important matters among the large amount of new business introduced. These included an order dividing Ward One into two wards to be known as Ward One and Seven, and an order appropriating \$10,000 for the purchase of an automobile combination chemical and piston pump and to acquire land for an addition to City Hall.

**CLAIMS DAMAGES.**  
The Mayor forwarded a communication from John B. Chadborn asking to be reimbursed for damages to his automobile by collision with the auto chemical. Referred to the Executive. The Mayor forwarded a communication giving notice of change in driver of junk wagon. Placed on file. A communication was received from Mrs. Maude L. Perry, asking to be reimbursed for half cost of curbing in front of her premises on Greenleaf street. Referred to Finance Committee.

**APPOINTMENT.**  
A communication was received from the Mayor announcing the appointment of John A. Dugan as Assessor in place of Thomas Smith declined. Referred to Committee on Sewers and Drains.

**BILLS OF 1913.**  
A communication was received from the City Auditor stating that the following bills, in excess of the appropriation of 1913 had been filed with him: Assessors department, \$75.75; Fire Department, \$77.75; Poor Department, \$962.56. Referred to the Finance Committee.

**HOUGH'S NECK WARD.**  
Councilman Sodergren presented a petition that Hough Neck, Adams Street, and Germantown be set apart as a separate ward. Referred to the Committee on Legislative Matters.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.**  
The Committee on Streets reported orders granting the Telephone Co. a location for underground conduits on Independence and Federal avenues, and a location for poles on Quarry street. Ordered to a second reading. Also an order granting the Bay State Street Railway Co. a location for poles on Neponset bridge. Ordered to a second reading. Also granting the Electric Light Co. a location for poles on Hancock street. Ordered to a second reading. The Committee on Public Buildings reported reference to the Executive on the communication from the School Committee relative to repairs to the Massachusetts Fields school. Accepted.

**WASHINGTON SCHOOL ADDITION.**  
The same committee reported a petition requesting the Mayor to have prepared detail drawings and specifications for a four-room addition to the Washington school building and for an assembly hall. Adopted.

**NEW SUBWAY.**  
The Committee on Streets reported an order for a public hearing March 16, on taking land on Federal street for a public way of the city. Adopted.

**HEARINGS.**  
A public hearing was held at 8 o'clock on petition of the Electric Light Co. for a location for poles on Hancock street. There was no opposition and the order was recommended. A public hearing was held at 8.15 on petition of the Edmund Van Bever Co. to keep gasoline. There was no opposition and the order was recommended.

**CHEMICAL AND PUMP.**  
Councilman Williams offered an order appropriating \$10,000 for the purchase of an Automobile Combination Chemical and Pump. Referred to Committee on Fire and Police.

**SPEAR STREET SIDEWALK.**  
Councilman Erickson offered an order appropriating \$1,800 for a granite sidewalk on the southwestern side of Spear street, between the Public Library and Wildcat street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

**LIGHT ORDERS.**  
Councilman Carlson offered an order for lights on Ocean, Conant and Webster streets. Referred to Executive. Councilman Sodergren offered an order for lights on Beebe and Wilbur roads. Referred to Executive.

**COUNCILMAN ERICKSON OFFERS ORDER FOR LIGHTS ON BEEBE AND WILBUR ROADS.**  
Councilman Erickson offered an order for lights on Beacon and Broadway avenues. To Executive.

**COUNCILMAN BARKER OFFERS ORDER FOR LIGHTS ON BEACON AND BROADWAY AVENUES.**  
Councilman Barker offered an order for a light on the corner of Hough and Safford streets. To Executive. Councilman Beeman offered an order granting permission to Austin Greene, proprietor of the Montclair school, for children to appear on stage Feb. 29. Adopted. Councilman Sodergren offered an order for a sidewalk on the eastern side of Palmer street. To Committee on Streets.

**HOUGH'S NECK WARD.**  
Councilman Williams, for President Wilson, offered an order dividing Ward One into two wards, to be known as Ward One and Seven. The dividing line between the two proposed wards extends from Black creek near the Wilson estate to Town river near the Electric Light station. The words of the order are:

"Beginning at point A in the dividing line between Wards One and Five in the center line of Merrymount road extended; thence running in a southerly direction by the center line of Merrymount road to land of the City of Quincy belonging to Mt. Wollaston cemetery; thence by the northerly and easterly line of Mt. Wollaston cemetery to Sea street; thence across Sea street to Broad Meadows in a straight line, thence by the westerly line of said Broad Meadows to Town river; thence by the channel of Town river to the present dividing line between said Ward One and Ward Two, at point B, all as more particularly shown on plan made by Ezekiel C. Sargent, City Engineer."

Referred to Committee on Legislative Matters.

**OLD SLATE QUARRY.**  
Councilman Carlson offered an order for \$10,000 for filling the old slate quarry off of Billings road, near the old quarry, and the owners of said quarry, deeded the property to the city free of expense.

**CHESTER STREET.**  
Councilman Barker offered an order to accept Chester street as a public way of the city. Referred to Committee on Streets.

**STREET LIGHTING.**  
Councilman Sodergren offered an order that Coddington street to Sea street, Sea street to its entire length and Palmer street to the Safford Harbor, be included in the street lighting schedule. Referred to Committee on Streets.

**OTHER ORDERS.**  
Councilman Griffin offered a resolution for \$100 for gravel gutters on both sides of Cranich street, between Whitwell and Delford streets. Referred to Committee on Streets. Councilman Griffin offered an order for catch basins on the corner of Edson and Farmington streets, and on the corner of River street and Bay View street. Referred to Committee on Sewers and Drains.

**COUNCILMAN GRIFFIN OFFERS A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS TO FURNISH THE COUNCIL WITH AN ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF WATER USED BY THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS OF THE CITY, AND AN ESTIMATED COST OF THE SAME.**  
Adopted.

**ENLARGED CITY HALL.**  
Councilman Williams offered a resolution requesting the Mayor to negotiate for the purchase of the lot on land directly in the rear of City Hall on Depot street for an addition to City Hall and to report to the City Council as soon as possible as to price of the same. Adopted.

**QUINCY POINT FIRE.**  
Three firemen were slightly injured Saturday evening at a fire which destroyed the New Jersey house at the corner of South and East Howard streets. The fire evidently started from a furnace, and when discovered there was but one man in the house. The proprietor John Blisset had gone to Boston for provisions and all of the boarders were away. An alarm was sounded from Box 723 at 7.58 o'clock and it was two hours later before the fire was out.

There was a high wind prevailing at the time and the heavy snow covering the apparatus a hard time reaching the scene. The fire was one of the kind that get behind the walls of the house, and by the time the department arrived the fire seemed to be all over the building and flames were shooting from the windows. It was a most difficult fire to handle and before it was all out the building had been practically gutted.

During the height of the fire an explosion was heard from the front of the building and firemen Christopher Oliver and Clarence Mitchell were on their way up the ladder with a line of hose when the ladder snapped and they were pitched into a snow bank. Mitchell was the first to fall and Oliver landed on top of him, and then part of the ladder fell on them. Fortunately however, the snow broke their fall and they escaped with a few bruises and remained at work throughout the fire.

Herbert Griffin of the Central station had an artery in his left hand cut by broken glass and was treated by a physician. He also remained at work and later in the night fled the steamer at the City Square fire.

The building was erected some years ago as a boarding house for Fore River workmen and was named the New Jersey in honor of the battleship New Jersey which was then building at the Fore River shipyard. It was a two and a half story wooden building and was practically destroyed, entailing a loss on building and contents of \$7,000.

**HOUSE WARMING.**  
William L. Hartley, one of the best professional tennis players connected with the Boston Athletic Association, was tendered a surprise housewarming by the members of the Red Rose Club in his new home at Atlantic street and the boulevard Saturday night. He was presented with a handsome brass fireplace set. Mr. Hartley who is one of the newer residents of Atlantic, has had an enviable career in tennis. His work with and for the A. A. has been a source of much satisfaction to the members of that association, and the Red Rose Club.

**LADIES NIGHT.**  
An indoor athletic meet of an unusual kind took place Tuesday night in the Y. M. C. A. when the first Ladies Night of the season took place. The fair guests took part in all the events and proved themselves as well versed in the arts of the gymnasium as the fellows. After the team bowling matches there were several events in the gym including the sponge put, 30 inch dash, basket ball relay, Indian club relay, volleyball, etc.

By this time the group were all in fine appetite, and an adjournment to the dining room took place, where sandwiches and cocoa were served. The singing of popular songs by the group concluded the fun of the evening. The committee in charge of the event was: Adrian McFarlane, Fred Ward, H. C. Hollowell, Sturges Hunt, Ben Gouterman, Mrs. LaRose and Mrs. Flanders chaperoned the party.

## AMONG THE CLUBS.

(Continued from Page Three.)

**QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.**  
February is a short month but many good things are crowded into it in club as well as social life. Two of the best meetings of the Quincy Women's Club occur this month, the dramatics and the annual musicale, both at Quincy Music hall.

The dramatics are now of the past but the musicale comes off next Tuesday afternoon. The doors open at one o'clock and the musicale will begin at two. Club members are asked to note that the musicale is to begin promptly at two o'clock and will be followed later in the afternoon by the usual business session of the club.

Unlimited most privileged is again extended to club members and also the waiting list but guest tickets must be obtained before the date of the musicale and filled in with name of guest and club member's name. Guest tickets may be had of any member of the "Hostess" committee of which Mrs. Charles R. Safford is chairman.

The musicale is to be by the Brooke Trio of Boston; Arthur Brooke, cello and Ludwig Nast' cello both of the Boston Symphony orchestra, and Ethel Hensley, piano, leading soloist and ensemble player of Boston. Mr. Brooke is the well known soloist in the "Pop" concert given each season in Boston by the Symphony orchestra. Mr. Nast has been a member of the orchestra for several years as well as some of the finest orchestras in Europe. Miss Harding has a high reputation. Club members can be assured of an unusually fine program Tuesday.

There is much interest being taken in the coming of W. L. Hubbard of the Boston Opera house for an opera talk at the clubhouse on Wednesday morning March 18 at quarter of eleven. The talk will be on "The opera as it is" and will be assisted by Floyd Baxter at the piano.

**WOLLASTON WOMAN'S CLUB.**  
A splendidly attended meeting of the Wollaston Woman's club gathered at the Wollaston Unitarian church Tuesday afternoon to hear Dr. Berle, and to discuss the most important business of the season. "Shall we or shall we not build a clubhouse?" The proposition offered by the Sackem club was so liberal that it filled the wants of all, and a unanimous vote was taken, that for some time to come, as long as the Sackem club lasted the Wollaston Woman's club would be in relation to them as brother to sister.

Charles M. Bryant gave a clear and concise plan of the clubhouse which left no doubt in the minds of members as to its being the most feasible thing to do.

The large newspaper proposition by the Telegram was spoken of. So far the returns and work make a good showing. The Hospitality committee, Mrs. A. P. Thompson, chairman, presented the club with two silver tea urns of unique workmanship, for which a rising vote of thanks was extended them.

The dramatics on May 5 to have been given in the Wollaston School hall, have had to be changed to Quincy Music hall and to May 6 owing to new fire regulations.

Following the business session a splendid musical program was rendered by a double quartet from the Glee club, composed of Mrs. H. Y. Follett, Miss Ruth S. Hardy, Mrs. Anna J. Titus, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Hendry, Miss Dorothy Sayward, Mrs. A. Blaisdell and Mrs. Kendall, with Mrs. Edith Barry at the organ. "A bed time song" by Nevin and "Ching-a-ring-a-ring" by Molloy were rendered with splendid unity and rhythm.

Mrs. Charles R. Safford introduced Dr. A. Berle D. D., professor at Tufts college, who gave a most interesting discourse on the subject of "The future of the human race," 20 years before legislative Councilors. A social hour following the adjournment of the meeting was held in the vestry, where tea and fancy cakes were served.

**Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY.**  
Miss Mathilda Brown, home missionary at Boston, gave a most interesting talk to the ladies and friends of the Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary, Feb. 13. Mrs. Wilson Marsh led the devotional exercises taking for her subject: "Social service," paying the way for Miss Brown who followed with "The work for the income tax." Mrs. Marsh was followed by a stranger, Miss Brown being once a stranger herself in a strange land knows how to extend the glad hand to the helpless new comers, meet them at the gateway of our great country and bid them welcome. Twenty-two years ago Miss Brown came from Sweden and for years since her arrival here has watched daily for the big steamers to come into port landing hundreds of steerage passengers into her care. Miss Brown's work is a noble one and should have the hearty support of all who believe in brotherly love. Mrs. C. M. Money, Mrs. W. A. Thompson and Mrs. A. J. Podbury of the Park and Downs church and Mrs. Arthur Crowley of South Quincy were the hostesses.

**WHATSOEVER HERCULES.**  
The annual meeting of the Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters was held with the president Mrs. Edmund S. Taylor Tuesday evening. The officers for the year are: President—Mrs. Edmund S. Taylor. First Vice president—Mrs. Isahel Sneath. Second Vice President—Mrs. Fred L. Eastman. Secretary—Miss Almira E. Simmons. Treasurer—Mrs. Leroy C. Holbrook. The reports showed that much had been accomplished in a quiet way during the year, and that over \$200 had been raised and distributed. Among the public charities assisted were the Pond Home and Gordon Rest. Word was received of the death on Sunday at Pond Home of Mrs. George Smith, formerly of Warren avenue, Wollaston. She had been at the home about seven years, her husband having died there three years ago. Burial was at Walpole.

"We have just received information that the Herrick Seed Company of Rochester, N. Y., wants lady or gentlemen representatives in this section to sell all kinds of seeds, Shrubs, Trees and Seeds. They inform us that without previous experience it is possible to make good wages every week. Any one out of employment write them for terms and enclose this notice. 10-38

## DORCAS ENTERTAINMENT.

The Dorcas society of the Universalist church held a successful supper, sale and entertainment in the vestry of the church Tuesday evening. An efficient supper committee with Mrs. Frank Hobart at the head served an appetizing supper at 6.30 consisting of hot chicken patties, creamery sauce, escalloped potatoes, cranberry sauce, fancy rolls, and coffee. The waitresses were Mrs. Keene, Mrs. Sydney Lermond, Mrs. J. R. Lermond, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. McCurdy and Miss Hanson.

An enjoyable social hour during which many renewed old acquaintances followed. Aprons were displayed on a side wall and found ready sale. This table was in charge of Mrs. George E. Sprague and Miss Hanson. Fancy articles were attractively displayed on the next table. Miss Lillian S. Gay and Miss Bertha Newcomb, being the committee in charge. The always popular candy table was next in charge of Mrs. John Smith. Joe Creamy found ready sale being in charge of Mrs. Lakin and Mrs. Wright.

At eight o'clock an enjoyable entertainment was given including violin solos by John F. Hyland with J. I. Hyland, accompanist, readings by Miss Ida Norton of Campbell, and vocal solos by Miss Edith Hyland accompanied by Mrs. Florence Cutler. The evening was well enjoyed by all and many had the pleasure of meeting old friends.

## TOM THUMB WEDDING.

Members of the Junior auxiliary of St. Christy's church gave a very creditable performance for youthful amateurs of the play "Tom Thumb's Wedding." Tuesday evening, in the parish rooms. The bridal procession made a merry party and a pleasing impression, which was enjoyed by the grown ups as well as the children. These taking part were: Bride, Dorothy Kelley. Groom, Bessie Kelley. Father, Edith Hooley. Minister, Marion Hallett. Flower girls, Ethel Bent, Thera Oster, Florence Parker and Beatrice Horst.

Bridesmaids, Charlotte Fox, Lois Parlee, Edna Thompson and Thelma Buzell. Maid of honor, Edith Lund. Best man, Mary Anderson. Ushers, Catherine Murphy, Florence Centise, Dolly Pope and Inez Florence. Piano selections were rendered by Elsie Thompson and Lois Parlee, and Gladys Parlee gave a violin solo accompanied by Elsie Thompson at the piano.

During the evening Dorothy Hensley gave a recitation entitled "Selling Baby." Ethel Bent, "Her first kiss," Charlotte Fox, "Her name," Florence Centise, "Joking Grandma," Anne McFar, "He mixed them up," Thera Oster, "The old-time school." The candy was well patronized and the home made sweets were soon sold.

## MONTCLAIR FIRE.

An oil heater set in the attic to prevent a water tank from freezing, is thought to have caused a fire which burned the roof off the home of Frank W. Byrne at 62 Vershire street, Montclair, before dawn Tuesday. The loss is estimated at \$2,000 to \$4,000.

Chief Patrick Higgins ordered the Atlantic apparatus to the house, and responded with the auto chemical. Shortly after their arrival he sent in an alarm from Box 68 which brought the Wollaston apparatus.

The Atlantic horse was on runners and had no difficulty in reaching the house, but the heavy snow falling on the way to the house stalled the chemical and it had to be towed some distance by the Atlantic horses. The department encountered much difficulty in laying hose which was wet, heavy and partially frozen, none of it having a chance to dry out since the fires in the New England States.

Edward F. Parlee, of the Montclair Improvement Association, said this morning that he thought Chief Higgins made a "good stop" and he said that was the opinion generally expressed by other residents in that section. He said the loss would total about \$400.

## WEST QUINCY RAILROAD.

The committee on Railroads of the Legislature gave a hearing on Tuesday on the petition of Theophilus King J. Winsor Davy, Andrew M. Deane and Alexander Palmer for a franchise for a freight railroad at West Quincy, to be known as the West Quincy Railroad Company.

The act would authorize the company to condemn and take land for railroad purposes, and cross streets and ways of Quincy, on approval of the Public Service Commission of Massachusetts.

Charles M. Ludden appeared for the petitioners, and John W. McAnaney, in behalf of the trustees of the estate of John Cashman, in opposition to granting the petition. When the hearing was called Mr. Ludden withdrew. Mrs. C. M. Money, Mrs. W. A. Thompson and Mrs. A. J. Podbury of the Park and Downs church and Mrs. Arthur Crowley of South Quincy were the hostesses.

**MISS EVA HUBERT.**  
Miss Eva Hubert, a former South Quincy resident, died Saturday night at Attleboro, after an illness of seven years duration. She was in her 26th year and her body will be brought to this city for burial.

Miss Hubert was the daughter of Mrs. Aurille Hubert, who lived in the Pineal block at Franklin and Water streets, until a year ago. She was graduated from the Woodward Institute in 1907 and one of the most popular girls of the class. She was an accomplished pianist and was active in social affairs until her health compelled her to discontinue. The news of her death will be received with regret by her many friends.

## WOLLASTON VALUES.

The Wollaston ward has more streets than any other ward of the city with property assessed over \$100,000. Perhaps Hancock street would not be picked as the leader but it is a long street and in a class by itself with property valued at \$354,306.

Beale and Beach, the one a continuation of the other, have a close contest for second place. The others with over \$200,000 worth of property are Grand View avenue, Linden street and Highland avenue.

Then comes South Central avenue, Elm avenue, Newport avenue, Safford street, Winthrop avenue, Brook road, Belmont street, Prospect avenue, Arlington street, Lincoln avenue, Marlboro street, West Elm avenue, Adams street, Taylor street, Bromfield street and North Central avenue.

Several other streets have nearly \$100,000 worth of property as will be seen by the complete list below. On some streets the land is worth more than the buildings.

## WARD FIVE.

Street	Land	Buildings
Adams	\$73,150	\$31,150
Albion	12,175	
Alvin	100	
Angus	125	
Arlington	25,850	80,425
Ashland	4,750	
Barham	275	
Bass	4,250	7,950
Beach	\$4,500	199,225
Beal	108,375	171,100
Belmont	37,925	98,925
Berkeley terrace	700	3,200
Bellings road	14,000	40,000
Black	17,350	30,250
Boulevard	6,450	29,550
Briggs	7,275	16,500
Bromfield	34,300	69,825
Brook	31,575	107,500
Buckingham road	10,825	7,700
Calumet	1,525	2,800
Cedar	2,400	15,850
Chapman	5,225	
Cheriton road	9,250	4,250
Chester	5,575	20,600
Chick	1,200	2,200
Church	125	
Clarendon terrace	975	
Clay	12,100	12,600
Cleaves	2,125	
Copley	4,675	3,400
Cummings avenue	6,000	8,350
Cushing	3,550	1,900
Dahlgren	150	
Davis	34,075	61,150
Decker	425	
Dunbar road	6,275	17,750
Earle	1,475	
East Elm avenue	43,450	50,450
Ellington road	4,725	17,050
Elm avenue	52,470	139,900
Elmwood avenue	30,100	48,925
Elms	9,800	17,500
Everett	11,975	12,250
Farrington	89,975	89,975
Fayette	29,175	105,125
Fenno	20,225	16,500
Fenolde road	5,650	
Flag	1,900	2,300
Florence	3,650	
Franklin avenue	7,975	15,900
Freeman	10,750	19,900
Gilmore	2,925	15,000
Gould	4,900	900
Grand View ave.	\$38,550	154,250
Granger	12,925	17,000
Green	11,225	35,800
Greenwood	9,875	2,600
Chief Patrick Higgins place	4,250	6,000
Greenwood place	2,225	2,000
Grove	5,550	3,650
Hamden circle	23,200	41,350
Hamilton	18,925	54,550
Hancock	183,175	175,125
Harvard	2,750	2,500
Highland avenue	70,450	145,275
Hills	5,825	9,000
Hillside	9,100	7,500
Hobart	8,450	11,000
Huntington square	1,900	1,700
Jordan	725	
Kemper	24,650	52,900
Knox	150	
Labadie	1,975	
Lincoln avenue	19,975	86,950
Linden	27,575	195,100
Marion	13,125	39,875
Marlboro	33,775	72,200
Merrymount ave.	8,350	19,100
Metropolitan parkway	5,200	
Miller	2,175	
Milne	18,750	34,400
Milne	6,450	18,900
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Newport terrace	8,000	10,200
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North Central ave.	29,300	73,875
Oak	1,500	
Oakland	1,500	
Oakland	4,925	2,000
Old Colony ave.	26,750	50,550
Oxenbridge road	5,875	
Park	15,975	31,225
Patten	5,575	
Phillips	25,325	60,475
Pine	6,725	19,150
Private way	500	650
Prospect avenue	43,575	90,900
Quincy	8,000	800
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Cash Assets, \$95,000.00  
Total Assets, \$9,506,474.00  
Total Liabilities, \$9,506,474.00  
Amount of Cash Surplus, \$110,104.88  
Contingent Assets, \$129,566.20  
Total Available Assets, \$239,671.08  
Dividends are now being paid on five-year  
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DEDHAM, MASS.  
STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1914.

Amount at Risk, \$27,108,036.00  
Cash Assets, \$208,238.22  
Total Assets, \$27,316,274.22  
Total Liabilities, \$27,316,274.22  
Amount of Cash Surplus, \$454,901.08  
Contingent Assets, \$129,566.20  
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Cash Assets, \$297,240.00  
Total Assets, \$39,910,369.00  
Total Liabilities, \$39,910,369.00  
Amount of Cash Surplus, \$1,281,240.00  
Contingent Assets, \$129,566.20  
Total Available Assets, \$1,410,806.20  
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## FIGHT IT OUT.

Will Carleton.

Does Destruction seem to lurk  
All about?

Don't believe it! Go to work!

Fight it out!

Danger often turns and flies  
From a steady pair of eyes;

Ruin always camps apart  
From an undefeated heart.

In the spirit there is much—  
Do not doubt—

That the world can never touch—  
Fight it out.

Do the portals of your brain  
Freedom lack?

Never let them thus remain—  
Push them back!

Do not give the efforts o'er,  
If they number half a score;

When a hundred of them last  
Then a thousand might prevail

Gems beneath a clod must lie,  
Ere they sprout;

You may blossom, by-and-by—  
Fight it out!

Have your foemen come to stay?  
Never flinch;

Make them win their little way,  
Inch by inch!

Scan them well, and fight them fair,  
Give them honest blows to spare;

There are men and things possessed  
Than a first-class second.

Time may come when you have turned  
To a rout

Where you triumph they have earned—  
Fight it out!

All the lessons of the time  
Teach us fair,

'Tis a blunder and a crime  
To despair!

When we suffer, 'tis to bless  
Other moments with success;

From our losses we may trace  
Something better in their place.

Everything in earth and sky  
Seems to shout,

"Do not give up until you die—  
Fight it out!"

LITTLE MISS CLOVER.

"Where is Clover?" cried Mrs. Hast-  
ings, entering the great, shady sitting  
room of her large country house late  
one afternoon. Miss Perkins, the vil-  
lage dressmaker, sat there alone, bend-  
ing over a sewing machine. "I want  
her particularly," went on Mrs. Hast-  
ings, "there are biscuits to be baked  
and strawberries to be made, and I've  
got my cake in the oven, and the tea is  
drawing. I was sure I'd find Clover in-  
here."

Miss Perkins glanced up with a con-  
temptuous sniff.

"You won't find her any place where  
she has any work to do," cried that  
lady, in her shrill, high-pitched voice.

"I'm sorry to say it myself, but that  
girl is the laziest, useless—"

"There, that'll do, Miss Perkins!"  
interrupted Mrs. Hastings. "Clover is  
as dear to me as my own child, and I  
don't like to hear her named. We  
have no child of our own, but John  
and we have loved her ever since we  
found her lying out in the sweet  
clover at the door, eighteen years ago—  
a little, laughing child of about a  
year—and she smiled up into my face  
with her big brown eyes; from that  
time, Clover—we gave her the name  
because we found her in the clover—  
has filled a daughter's place in our  
hearts. She needn't work if she  
doesn't want to; she was made for  
happiness—for life in the free open  
air—to dance and sing and be happy  
after her own fashion."

Miss Perkins—a grim maiden of un-  
certain age, sandy-haired, greeneyard,  
and with a tendency to freckles—filled  
her mouth with pins and proceeded  
grimly to "tack" together the skirt of  
the pretty organdie that she was mak-  
ing for Clover, a dainty device of  
ruffles and lace, and bows and sashes;  
"for all the world like a party dress,"  
she had snapped when Mrs. Hastings  
had given her the directions.

"Oh, dear me, Mrs. Hastings!" she  
sneered, dropping the pins at last, and  
thus freeing her tongue, which ached  
with unaccustomed silence. "I don't  
pretend to interfere with you and  
Clover, though you say on earth you couldn't  
give her a Christian name more than I  
can tell! But do you think it quite  
the thing to—hand me the lace, if you  
please; thanks—to allow her to be so  
much in the company of your son?  
Aren't you afraid of consequences?"

The girl will certainly fall in love  
with him, and then what will you do?  
You surely want no daughter-in-law  
who hasn't a name of her own?"

Mrs. Hastings' rosy face had become  
quite pale, but she tried to force a  
smile.

"Clover and John are like brother  
and sister," she said "soberly,"  
and John, since he has his diploma,  
and has become a full-fledged physi-  
cian, is wrapped up in his profession,  
and has no thought of marriage."

Miss Perkins nodded her saucy head  
until she looked like a Chinese man-  
darin.

"Perhaps so, perhaps so," she re-  
turned. "But if that is really the case,  
Mrs. Hastings, then your son must be  
an atrocious flirt; for I have reason to  
believe—and she paused to bite off  
her thread with a vicious snarl—to  
believe he rather preferred me!"

Mrs. Hastings had all she could do  
to suppress a laugh.

"You?" she repeated blandly. "Why  
John is only twenty-eight, and I am  
thirty-five, and that's hardly antediluvian!"

But she forgot to add that that third  
of May in question had gone down the  
broad aisle of the past a dozen years  
before.

A clear, ringing laugh broke the sil-  
ence which followed the speech, and a  
pretty, brown-eyed girl in pink mus-  
lin, and with a broad-brimmed straw  
hat on her flowing hair, danced into  
the room, her white apron full of wild  
flowers. There was a wreath of wild-  
flowers around the crown of her hat,  
and knots of wild roses in her corsage.  
A tall, handsome, blue-eyed man, Doctor  
John Hastings himself, was not far  
behind.

"Here we are, mother!" he cried  
cheerily; "Clover and I have been out  
in the woods, and we have come home  
hungry as bears. Eh, Clover?"

"You bet!" cried Clover, enjoying  
the maiden's lady's face of horror at

the slang, for these two young peo-  
ple delighted in teasing Miss Perkins  
their mutual aversion. "Mamma," she  
went on slyly. "I'll go right to work  
to get tea, and John will entertain  
Miss Perkins."

"Not this afternoon!" began John  
hastily, muttering something about  
"business down at the office."

Miss Perkins gave him a withering  
glance.

"Will entertain Miss Perkins?" she  
repeated slowly. For in that country  
place the village dressmaker was wont  
to be treated with all due deference.  
So Clover deposited her flowers upon a  
small, side table, and ran up to her  
own room, returning soon, fresh and  
fair, and with her own deft hands pre-  
pared the evening meal.

Miss Perkins looked as sweet as  
honey, as she bent over her work,  
occasionally "making eyes" at the  
hastening doctor. She seemed to in-  
vite him into escorting her home in  
the early moonlight, and when John  
returned he told Clover that he felt as  
though he had taken a dose of worm-  
wood.

"Kissed her, eh?" cried Clover  
saucily.

His answer was to seize the dan-  
dulous girl and kiss her again and  
again.

"Father and mother will both be so  
pleased," he whispered. "They love  
you as a daughter already, darling."

"You do not even know my proper  
name," she said, "and you want me  
to be your wife?"

And one little hand slipped into the  
pocket of her dress where a letter lay  
singly concealed—a letter which Clo-  
ver had taken from the post office that  
very day, and had read and reread a  
hundred times. And as she thought  
of this strange romantic contents, her  
heart beat with joy and rapture.

"I can't believe it!" she cried. "I'll  
go right straight to John Hastings this  
very minute, and demand the truth.  
If I only had him a little more  
testimony, I'd have him up for breach  
of promise!"

And, tying on her hat, and pro-  
fessing powdering her prominent nose,  
which always would get red when she  
was angry and excited, the irate lady  
went for Doctor Hastings's office,  
thinking that there she would secure  
an uninterrupted tete-a-tete.

One glance through the half-open  
door revealed John in a great leather  
armchair, and at his side Clover, sob-  
bing violently.

All the natural suspicion as well as  
curiosity in the spinster's heart was  
aroused. She must know what was  
going on. She glanced about, and her  
mind was made up. The ceiling of  
the room was under process of re-  
pairs, the plaster being partially  
mended; but the workmen had gone  
to their lunch and it was not yet com-  
pleted.

"I'll run upstairs the back way, and  
slip into the room overhead," she de-  
cided. "The plaster is all safe but in  
one spot, and I'll be able to hear  
everything. Oh, won't this be a  
triumph over Mrs. Hastings when I  
am able to unmask that treacherous  
husky!"

So she ran upstairs by the back en-  
trance of the building, and in a few  
moments was safely ensconced over-  
head, and crouching down, could hear  
and see also all that transpired be-  
low. There sat John Hastings with  
his arm about Clover's waist, and  
kissing her as though he liked to  
die.

"The mint!" snapped the unseen  
watcher. "I'd like to catch any man  
kissing me like that!"

"My own little love," Doctor Hast-  
ings was saying, "you have proved  
my love for you to be unselfish, and I  
am glad that you are satisfied. But  
don't you cry, Clover?"

The girl glanced up with smiles and  
tears, and kissed him full upon the  
lips.

"Merciful Heaven!" panted the  
watcher upstairs. "I never was guilty  
of such conduct in my life!"

"And to think," went on the doctor,  
below, "that you have found out all  
the truth; who your parents were and  
all! And that you are an heiress, too!  
Why, Clover, you are a sharp little  
manager to keep it to your self so  
long. To think of your seeing the ad-  
vertisement which called for the heirs  
of Lawrence Montgomery, and that  
name being found upon the handker-  
chief wrapped about you when you  
were discovered lying out in the clo-  
ver; you secretly applied to the address  
appended to the notice, and the result  
is that you are proved to be the only  
child of a rich man stolen from your  
home when a babe. You are more than  
being dead, all the Montgomery for-  
tune is now yours. Quite a romance,  
Clover, why do you cry?"

"For joy," she faltered, smiling  
through her tears as she added: "No-  
body can say that you married me for  
my money, John, because I have been  
your wife for three weeks now, be-  
fore the great news was fully ascer-  
tained, and no one but your mother  
knew of our marriage. Why, John,  
what is that?"

For the watcher above, bending  
lower and lower, just a single in-  
chable should escape her, had ventured  
too near the half-dry plaster which  
bordered the hole in the ceiling, and  
with one wild shriek, like an Indian  
warwhoop, she fell through the ceil-  
ing, and, stunned and half dead, lay at  
Doctor Hastings' feet. He glanced  
upward as though he were looking for  
ghosts.

"Is she dead?" whispered Clover,  
and a few moments later, and return-  
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Sat. Feb. 28	6:22 5:10	1:30 1:45	9:22
Sunday Mar. 1	6:23 5:11	2:10 2:25	10:25
Monday	6:24 5:12	2:30 2:45	11:31
Tuesday	6:25 5:13	2:50 3:05	12:38
Wed.	6:26 5:14	3:10 3:25	1:45
Thurs.	6:27 5:15	3:30 3:45	2:52
Friday	6:28 5:16	3:50 4:05	4:00
First Quarter, 2nd day, 12:20 A. M.			

Any one who ever played the good old game of square should be able to do the low dips in the tango.

It is no longer possible to call Japan a semi-civilized nation, now that the opposition in their parliament destroyed the ballot box in order to win a political move.

Sixteen years since the Maine was blown up in Havana harbor. Probably her naval forces down at Vera Cruz remembered the anniversary, also possibly some of the Mexicans.

Some people seem to think that observing "Go to Church Sunday" constitutes an immunity bath for the rest of the year.

Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, who is fighting dangerous dogs, says about five per cent. of the people use them. Some men are so constituted that an item like this is regarded in the light of a business opportunity.

**WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES.**  
The multitudinous cares of the home which brings so much pleasure and profit to countless Quincy women with the innumerable demands of church, social or interests in many benevolences need to be contrasted with the broad line of mutual helpfulness and it is doubtless for conference for expression of friendship, that so many clubs are flourishing today.

A citizen recently remarked that he should think that Quincy women concerned themselves only with clubs. Doubtless the remark was occasioned by not understanding how much women need to bring out the best in other women to bring out the best in their nature. In this city the charities are broad and numerous and the delight of people in helping others is demonstrated at all seasons.

The various branches of social activity in the churches, in the circles and guilds and the noble efforts made by the women in aiding in carrying on the expenses of the church is a force that is understood by everyone. The different branches of social service making demands on time, purse and sympathies, are all taxing and so when one has the privilege of club membership it presents an opportunity for relaxation that is of incalculable benefit. The gatherings of those who have prized long friendships and who have had heart-to-heart talks on topics of importance, who have studied whether wisely or to advantage some important line of thought has been a factor that has kept the mother, the housewife or young woman alert and progressive.

A movement so great as the club movement, the splendid work of organized womanhood in branches of civic endeavor and even the small association for fellowship or study is not to be lightly commented upon. The different gifts which each brings to any organization make for an ensemble of noble impulses and great achievements the result of which cannot be summed up in one day or week, but contributes to the history of a generation or for all time.

## NEPONSET BRIDGE HEARING.

(Special from State House.)

That the city of Boston is unalterably opposed to the reconstruction of the Neponset bridge was made manifest Thursday at the hearing of another bridge proposition by the legislative committee on roads and bridges, on petition of Dorchester members of the Legislature.

The hearing Thursday was confined to the bill presented by Senator Francis J. Horgan of Boston. This bill provides substantially the same improvements contained in the bills previously heard by the committee. There is, however, the provision that the city of Boston shall pay forty-five per cent of the total cost. Quincy would pay twenty-five per cent and the county of Norfolk five percent. Further provision is made that the State should bear five percent of the burden and any street railway companies operating upon the bridge would pay fifteen percent.

Corporation Counsel John A. Sullivan, appearing for the city of Boston, said that this bill is fifteen percent worse, from Boston's viewpoint, than the other bills that have been presented. "The city of Boston cannot afford to assume this burden," he said.

## COURT OFFICERS HEARING.

The Committee on Public Service gave a hearing on the bill to give court officers of police, district and municipal courts, thirty days vacation instead of fifteen as at present.

William M. Madden of Quincy, president of the Massachusetts Court Officers League, spoke in favor. He contended that much of the work of the court officers was after court adjourned in committing prisoners to jail. Others to speak in favor were A. M. Hutton of Quincy and Arthur Kirby of Dedham.

The same committee gave a hearing to James L. MacDonald and others that the assistant clerks may be appointed in the absence of the clerk as clerk pro tempore. Mr. MacDonald and others appeared.

## AT CHRIST CHURCH.

The morning and evening services at Christ church on Ash Wednesday were well attended by members of the parish. Rev. R. E. Armstrong, rector, conducted the Penitential Office, and Holy Communion in the morning and also gave an address.

Rev. F. C. Chepey, vicar of St. Mark's church at Southboro preached the sermon at the evening service and the prayer was conducted by Rev. Mr. Armstrong.

Throughout the Lenten season a sermon will be delivered every Wednesday evening by visiting clergymen. Rev. W. Dwyer, rector of St. Paul's church at Milton, will be the preacher next Wednesday.

## SQUANTUM DEFAULTED.

DR. JOHN F. WELCH.

A State House hearing of local interest held Friday was the hearing of the petition of certain citizens of Squantum to Metropolis Affairs on the petition of certain citizens of Squantum that that section of the City of Quincy be annexed to the City of Boston.

Certain residents of Squantum have had this in their mind for a long time. A number of years ago a similar petition was presented to the legislature and the committee visited Quincy and in company with a committee of the City Council visited Squantum, and looked over the ground and enjoyed a fine dinner given by one of the residents and returning to Boston promptly turned the petition down. The matter has been dormant since that time until this year when it was again revived.

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Corporation Counsel Sullivan of Boston, Representative Sullivan of Quincy, Mayor Miller and City Solicitor Pinkham were recorded in opposition to the petition.

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The petitioner appeared before the committee and filed this request at the time the matter was assigned for a hearing.

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## CO-EDS STRATEGY.

A very interesting concert and dramatic program was offered Thursday evening at the entertainment of the Norfolk Downs Improvement Association in Poland hall. An appreciative audience taxed the seating capacity and heartily applauded the varied numbers.

The feature of the evening was the one-act comedy "A co-eds strategy," produced for the first time on any stage. This was an original production written by the members of the cast and well received by the audience.

The cast was as follows: Peggy Bradford, Gladys Prescott, Dorothy Goldthwaite, Marjorie Phelps, Betty Longworth, Betsy Bailey, Virginia Lee, Annie Thomas, Barbara Fairchild, Lucia Bailey, Jack Davenport, Ethel Thomas, Leonard Van Ashman.

The program opened with selections by an orchestra consisting of Edward Bullock, piano; Pitt Robinson, violin; Charles Littlefield, flute and Ryder Gay, drums.

P. J. Brown played several selections on the harmonica and Miss Margaret Louise Holbrook sang "The Swallow," "The dawn" by Hawley and "The swallows." In the absence of her regular accompanist Edwin Wallace consented to play at sight and performed in a manner to bring loud applause on the part.

Piano solos by Miss May Stevens were appreciated and the readings of Bart Donovan brought marked attention. They included "In Bohemia," and the pathetic poem by James Whitcomb Riley. "The old man and Jim." The lines were intensely dramatic and he received an ovation.

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Four patriotic hymns were responded when their respective flags were displayed and national anthems played. Canada led with nineteen, Scotland had eleven, Sweden four, and when the harp with its beautiful rich green back ground was unfurled one woman stepped out majestically and proudly stood beneath it amid thunderous applause. The flag of nations were displayed when the flag of Italy gracefully added their rainbow. The writer having no flag as some seem to think, rose and saluted the banner that made the Turkish bear take to the woods.

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The reports of the different branches of church work were received with enthusiasm. The pastor's report showed that everything was working well and that so far the attendance Sunday mornings in 1914 had surpassed anything in the history of the church.

Rev. T. W. Davidson reported having made 724 pastoral calls and 56 visits to the sick. In closing his report he paid a warm tribute to the late Mrs. W. L. Buckley.

H. B. Wells' report as clerk showed that the church had received 36 members during the year, but was carrying a larger non-resident list on account of the removals.

Paul Butler, the treasurer, reported that almost \$5,000.00 had gone through the treasury last year, and that he had \$161.71 balance on church expenses and every bill paid, also a good sum in the benevolent fund.

Spencer Apollonio's report as collector showed that F. M. Burditt, who was elected one year ago as collector, had done thorough work in that office and left the office in the most prosperous condition, as more had contributed at that time than at any period in the history of the church, but during the year Mr. Burditt and many others had removed so that the present collectors and finance committee would have to work hard to keep up to Mr. Burditt's mark.

Mrs. Harry W. Reid reported for the Ladies Benevolent Society, and told of the many activities of the Ladies, and that after their reducing the mortgage to \$3,000.00 they had already started work with the thought of taking off a little more in the future and had now about \$125.00 in their treasury and an Easter sale coming. The report received a rising vote of thanks.

W. F. Cummings reported for the Sunday school, and told of the new activities of the cradle roll, and that at present, the school was planning a kindergarten under the direction of Mrs. Eugene Hagarty, so that the children could come to church and have children in the care of Mrs. Hagarty and her assistants. The Sunday School had done two-thirds of the work last summer in putting granolithic walks and walls around the church.

Mrs. H. B. Wells reported for the Music committee, and told of the many activities of the music mission, and spoke words of appreciation for the two music directors John C. Ward and Mrs. Spencer Apollonio, and the faithful choir. Also that the Juniors were proud in having given the new communion set to the church and were now planning to pay the expenses of some missionary.

Thos. Reid reported for the P. S. C. E. and stated that he did not wish the older members of the church to imagine the society had an age limit.

Mrs. W. F. Cummings reported for the Hospitality committee, and pressed her appreciation of the faithfulness of the committee that had worked so faithfully every Sunday in the year.

Mrs. Isabel S. Smith reported for the missionary committee and that her Sunday school class, "The Gleams," had given the committee a substantial aid in helping the committee attain what it did for missions and benevolences.

After the reports the following officers were elected for the coming year.

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Deacons for two years—John LaTrobe and Herbert Tucker.

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Assistant Collectors—Wm. F. Davy and David Hamilton.

Finance Committee—George L. Culburn, J. Harvey Holt and H. B. Wells.

Auditor—M. F. Baker.

Ushers—Edwin French, P. A. Hall, C. A. Hadlock, B. F. Thomas, Frank Damon and Thornton Reed.

House committee—W. F. Cummings, W. L. Buckley, William Coulson, G. L. Damon, H. L. Hallett, James Ratray and Mrs. J. S. Smith.

Hospitality Committee—John W. Abbott, Mrs. W. F. Cummings, Wm. H. Davis, Henry Von Emden, Mrs. John A. Murray, Mrs. C. A. Stearns, Mrs. B. F. Thomas and Mrs. J. A. Welsh.

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After the election of officers the church unanimously voted to buy the lot of land north of the church to have for church and community purposes in the future.

This was entirely a new undertaking, and some wanted to raise the money at the meeting, but the pastor rather advised a committee of ten to make a campaign for funds and raise the money in a month. Five or six men volunteered to act on such a committee, and members will report in a few days.

J. W. Abbott, who volunteered to serve on the committee raised \$50.00 in less than five minutes before the meeting adjourned.

The treasurer, Paul Butler was authorized to buy the land at once, and Councilman H. E. Beeman said the city needed money and if the church bought it before April the city would be out the taxes, but the land is to be bought as soon as the title is looked up.

The committee in charge of the supper were—Mrs. T. W. Davidson, Mrs. A. H. Hall, Mrs. Wm. Hersey, Mrs. A. H. Beede, Mrs. J. W. Abbott, Mrs. H. F. Beale, Mrs. Andrew Robert, Mrs. Welcome Young, Mrs. H. B. Wells and Miss Ada Harding.

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Somerville, Mrs. H. W. Tirrell, Mrs. Mary O'Neil, Mrs. Ida Dutton of Quincy, Leon Merchant of Weymouth, Fred Bennett of Braintree, Charles L. Bean and Herbert Baker of Quincy.

## BRIEFS

P. M. Burdett visited friends in Atlantic Wednesday and Thursday.

Supt. Barbour has returned from Richmond, Va., where he has been attending an educational convention.

Mrs. Annie Turner who has been spending a few weeks with her son in Washington, Pa., returned this week.

The annual parish meeting of the First Parish church is to be held Monday evening in the chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wiley and daughter Gladys formerly of Atlantic have been guests this week of Atlantic friends.

Rev. M. O. Patton of Emmanuel church, Braintree is to preach at a Wednesday night service at Christ church.

Mrs. Coyle Allen of Worcester spent a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harding of Bradford street.

The College night of the Y. P. R. U. to have been held Friday evening has been postponed until the regular meeting April 3.

Earl Bates, right forward of Quincy High school defeated Fall River Tech school Friday, Feb. 27, in the High school gymnasium. It was the second defeat administered Tech in 17 games.

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Ten tables were in play Wednesday evening at the weekly billiard tournament of the Granite City club. The prize winners were Frank W. White and George W. Jones. Escalated offers were served after the tournament.

Mary C. Whitcomb, widow of Noah L. Whitcomb, one of the early residents of this city, died Saturday at her home at 31 Parker street. Mrs. Whitcomb was in her 82d year. She is survived by one daughter, Marietta Whitcomb.

Rev. W. E. Dowdy of St. Paul's church, Malden, preached at Christ church Wednesday evening at the Lenten service. His theme was the "Instability of temporal things." Music was by the regular choir and there was a good attendance.

Arthur A. Hall who has been employed in Washington, Pa., for several months returned this week. Mr. Hall visited the Billy Sunday revival meetings at the church recently and expressed confidence in Billy Sunday as a revivalist.

Fifty of the younger couples of the city, most of them members of the three upper classes of Quincy High school, attended a private dancing party in Alpha hall Feb. 27. The affair was informal and was one of a series of invitation parties to be held before the graduation.

Moving pictures and living pictures will make up an entertaining evening next Wednesday for the meeting of the Pickwick club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney, 145 Warren avenue, Wollaston. Miss Juliette C. Bostwick and Arthur W. Hall have the program in charge.

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Monday evening was roll call night with Quincy chapter, Order Eastern Star, and there was a large attendance of members. Some responded with readings, some with vocal or instrumental music, while others made remarks. It was a pleasure to hear from older members. Refreshments were served.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Atlantic M. E. church is to give an entertainment Tuesday evening in the vestry. The Hecker Food House of Boston is to demonstrate their griddle cakes and maple syrup which will be supplemented by the ladies with coffee sandwiches etc. There will also be a sale and music.

Members of Loyal Ladies and Clan MacGregor are to worship in the First Presbyterian church on Sunday evening at 7.30. John Mackay of the Board of Education and Rev. James A. Matheson will speak. Music will be furnished by the Orpheus male quartet.

The Loyal Ladies will meet in the church lecture room at 7.15. The clan will gather at their rooms at seven o'clock.

Ester A. Hardwick, wife of Justin K. Hardwick, died Saturday at her home at 107 Grand street in her 71st year. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Jennie and Edith Hardwick. The funeral was held Tuesday from her home, conducted by Rev. J. A. Matheson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Members of the Scandinavian Socialist Labor party of Quincy and their friends attended the first of the series of Saturday night dancing parties in Electa hall. Nearly 125 were present. Music was furnished by John's orchestra. The committee included John Fredericson, Hjalmar Sternberg, A. Swenson, Emilie Wikman, Charles Smith, H. Larson.

Services over the body of Elias Lindvald, who died at Jamaica Plain Wednesday afternoon in St. Paul's M. E. church by Rev. Axel Emani Hillman, pastor. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery. The deceased was 80 years of age, and one of the oldest, if not the oldest member of the church. Mr. Lindvald lived with his daughter, Mrs. Antone Thompson and died at her home.

There is an old saying that if March comes in like a lion it will go out like a lamb. The month certainly came in like a lion for a more disagreeable day than Sunday would be hard to find. It began to rain during the night and Sunday morning there was a warm southeast rain and pale. The rain fell in torrents and the wind blew a gale. The streets and sidewalks were turned into running rivers and under the warm rain the snow and ice rapidly dissolved.

Maple Lodge, K. L. of H. acted on two applications at its meeting in Protection hall Wednesday night and made plans for the visitation of the Grand officers on March 18. Mrs. Charles McHugh of Somerville, the deputy, was present. A whist party was held after adjournment at which thirteen tables were in play. The winners were Mrs. C. W. Prescott of Somerville, Mrs. H. W. Tirrell, Mrs. Mary O'Neil, Mrs. Ida Dutton of Quincy, Leon Merchant of Weymouth, Fred Bennett of Braintree, Charles L. Bean and Herbert Baker of Quincy.

## BRIEFS

The alarm from Box 227 at 8.55 Thursday night was a false alarm. The recall sounded inside of five minutes.

A 12-page edition of the Daily Ledger today, one section being devoted to automobiles.

Aubrey R. Keith a former councilman of the city, expects to leave this week for Texas where he has real estate interests.

The City Treasurer has asked bids for a temporary loan of \$100,000 in anticipation of taxes. Joan to mature Nov. 19, 1914.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. King (nee Evelyn Jones) of Everett are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Friday, March 6.

Osborne Rogers who was confined to his home for several days threatened with pneumonia has so far recovered as to be able to be out in the middle of the day.

There was a break in the water main on Hancock street opposite Johnson avenue on Thursday night. Workmen were set at work repairing their leak early Friday morning.

Many people report that as a result of Sunday's storm miniature lakes were created in their back yards. The surface water however has now about all soaked off.

Owing to the death of Mrs. A. L. Hudson the supper which the ladies of the First Parish church were to serve Monday evening preceding the annual parish meeting of the church has been given up.

Owing to her accident Miss Edith Randall has postponed the travel talk to have been given this Friday under the auspices of the Quincy Women's Club. Notice of date will be announced later.

The concert program to be rendered by Poole's Boston orchestra at the annual hall of Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows, Mar. 12, is an excellent one, including selections from Ganne, Reulick, Offenbach, Lampe and Davis. Dancing will begin at 9 o'clock.

Nine couples were entered in the prize waltz at the Scandinavian Socialist Labor Club Social in Electa hall Thursday evening. Elmer Baker, Jr. declared the winners to be Miss Esther Johnson and Lars Haroldson. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening, music being furnished by John's orchestra.

Rev. Fr. John F. Quirk, S. J., has been appointed to the chair of moral philosophy and metaphysics at Boston College. He will succeed the late Rev. William P. Brett, who died two weeks ago. Father Quirk is a former member of the faculty of the college and in such capacity directed the studies of many of Quincy graduates who are much impressed with the appointment.

The Weber male quartet assisted by Miss Grace Sanborn Cole, reader, will give an invitation concert under the auspices of Bethany Brotherhood, at the Bethany church Friday evening, March 12. The members of the quartet, A. C. Prescott and A. F. Cole, tenors; G. H. Woods and W. E. Davidson bass, are too well known to Quincy audiences to need any introduction and a fine concert is assured.

The missionary excursion to have been held last Sunday evening at the Atlantic Methodist church postponed until next Sunday when the pastor invites the Sunday school, Epworth League and church to accompany him on an imaginary round airship around the globe, catching a birds-eye view of the mission fields, its missionaries, converts, peoples and landscapes. The journey will be an interesting one.

Grand Knight William A. Carey and the officers of Quincy chapter, Knights of Columbus, conferred the first degree on a class of 14 candidates in Colonial hall Thursday night. Members of Ave Maria council, Knights District Deputy Supreme Knight, Edward D. Barrett, witnessed the exemplification which was carried out with impressive ceremonies. An informal talk, entitled "Ramblings in the Newspaper World" was given by George B. Gavin of the Boston Globe. It was closely followed by the members and liberally applauded at its close.

Contrary to expectations Alfred J. Pinel's report of the last grade reading hearing at the State House provoked no discussion among the members of the Ward Three Improvement Association at John MacGregor hall Wednesday night. The program consisted of an election of officers and the adoption of by-laws.

Mr. Pinel told of the hearing before the railroad committee two weeks ago and in closing said that the Lowell representatives said that they believed Mayor Miller has exceeded his authority in signing the decree and that they believed it to be the first step incident to impeachment. Mr. Pinel added that the men spoke unofficially and after the hearing.

Alfred J. Pinel was elected president, George Gauthier, vice president, Peter J. Cahill secretary, and Amos L. Litchfield treasurer. Councilman Charles S. Ross declined his nomination as vice president because he believed a person holding a political office should not hold an office in the organization.

A special committee was appointed to appear in favor of the petition presented to the City Council asking the purchase of a piece of land for a right of way on Wedder avenue, opposite the end of Quincy street. This land has been in use for crossing purposes for 30 years. Committee includes Andrew Milne, Andrew Milne, Jr., George Gauthier, E. F. Braut, Alexander Cowe, Karl Leaf, Archie Grassick, Alex Emslie and James Jones.

Joseph G. Grossman, through whose efforts the society was organized, declined to serve as its secretary, owing to pressure of other duties.

The society has been organized to promote the interest of the mercantile and manufacturing business of Ward Three, to broaden and strengthen its business relations, to enhance the attractiveness of South Quincy as a place of residence, to secure and maintain the highest standard of municipal government and by all legitimate means to work unitedly for the material prosperity and general welfare of the ward.

The dues were set at \$1 annually, and one article of the by-laws states that members may express their views on any subject which may not be considered strictly association business but affecting the good of the ward.

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## SOUTH QUINCY

Friends of Miss Adeline McDowell, of 14 Quincy street, a student at Boston University, class 1917, who has been ill the past six weeks with inflammatory rheumatism will be pleased to learn that she will be able to resume her studies again shortly.

Many Quincy people of Welsh descent attended the observance of St. David's day in Boston Saturday evening. At the tea party Mrs. John Roberts of Goddard street and Mrs. John R. Walters of Copeland street poured.

The Seneca Club of South Quincy is occupying its new club rooms in the Pinel block. The organization is composed of the younger men of South Quincy.

Pleasure from the Central fire station rescued a kitten from the cross arms of a pole on Liberty street, opposite Malin's hall, Wednesday. Two days ago the kitten, climbed the pole to escape a dog and continued climbing. When the Police department learned of the kitten's predicament requested the Fire department to rescue it, and Michael Barry, and others acted immediately.

The five of Captains O'Neill and Michael, first and second place teams in the Clan MacGregor league, were matched against each other at the regular colloquy. The O'Neills beat the Michaels 3 to 1, and increased their lead to 60 points won and 35 lost. The Michaels retain second place and are resting there comfortably.

The second monthly whist of the Atlantic Advertiser, under the auspices of the American Association, was held in the MacGregor hall, Tuesday evening, after the regular meeting. Prizes were awarded P. Hines, Mrs. Louis Berman, John Caponichio, Mrs. Kane, Mr. Maunson, Mrs. S. Kennedy and D. J. O'Brien. Consolations went to E. White and E. MacIntosh.

## WEST QUINCY

The funeral of Foxwell Mulligan was held from his home at 24 Wesson avenue, Sunday afternoon. Services were conducted in St. Mary's church by Rev. Fr. William J. Duffy and burial was in St. Mary's cemetery.

John Smith, who until three years ago lived in West Quincy, died Sunday in the Westbury, N. Y. where he has made his home. His death followed a short illness. Mrs. Thomas Fallon of Glendale road, left on the receipt of a telegram Saturday relative to his condition and she reached there only a few minutes before his death. Mr. Smith was a granite cutter by trade and had many friends in this city. He is survived by his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Thomas Fallon, and four sons, Robert and George of Chicago and William of California and Daniel of Westbury.

Div. 24, A. O. U. held the Franco-American grand finale in a West Quincy league match at the St. Mary's alleys Tuesday night. The Division opened up a lead of 56 pins in the first string and increased it until they reached 88 in the total. Welsh captured high score, 276. Amet secured 106, high single.

Napoleon Grignon defeated Michael Kiley at St. Mary's hall Thursday night in the fifth game of their checker series. The sixth game was drawn by Mr. Kiley.

## PARK AND DOWNS

Mrs. John F. Tobin of Rayson road, has had as guests the past month, her sister Mrs. John Allan and daughter, Miss Lottie D. Allan of Toronto, Ontario.

Funeral services were held at the home of the late Washington Williams Saturday afternoon. Rev. George Merwyn Bailey, of the M. E. church officiating. The house was filled with relatives, friends and relatives, and genuine sorrow was everywhere manifested.

Miss Greenough of Denver, Colorado, gave a very sane and instructive talk on Equal Suffrage at the home of Mrs. Levi Turner, Hancock street, North Quincy, Saturday evening. Miss Greenough has been a voter in Colorado for ten years and could speak on the question from experience.

Lawrence F. Loring has returned from Florida and is to be sent to Munich, Germany by the United States mail. He will be on a month's study in the industrial schools.

Herbert Thomas, who lived at Billings road and Hancock street, died Thursday in his 34th year. He was the brother of James Thomas, a former member of the Quincy Board of Health. He was a member of the O. G. O. F. and Rural lodge of Masons and is survived by a wife and three children.

Rev. William B. Ayres of the Park and Downs Congregational church, conducted the services held in the chapel at Woodlawn cemetery on Friday over the body of Joseph Everett, a Boston tailor, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George S. Orcutt at 29 Marlborough street on Tuesday night.

## DISTRICT NURSING.

Miss Baird, superintendent of the Boston District Nursing Association, addressed a meeting of the District Nursing Committee and the Associated Charities of Quincy Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. W. Abbott.

Miss Baird spoke of the many different lines of work done by District Nursing Associations everywhere, but more especially in the cities of Boston, Providence and Cleveland; where the work is especially well organized. The importance of social training was emphasized, especially in the case of nurses and government nurses, also the importance of having all persons receiving care by the nurses pay for the same as far as they are able to.

The Health Centers where people in need of care may secure the services for a small fee of dentist, doctor and nurse, and where mothers receive child and in caring for all their children, was described in detail.

The talk was very interesting and was listened to carefully by a number of club women and associated Charity workers.

Lysander S. Richards and daughter Miss Eleanor Richards who have been passing the winter in Washington have returned north and are at Hotel Nottingham, Boston, to stay until their return to their Marshfield Hills home.

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## WOLLASTON

Dorothy Q. Lodge of Odd Ladies held a whist party Monday. Several souvenirs were awarded the first prize being a five pound box of chocolates. April sixth they are to hold another party.

Rev. William H. Osmond, rector, Church of the Holy Trinity Marlboro will preach at St. Chrysostom's church, Thursday evening, at 7.45 o'clock.

Mrs. Carl E. Holmes and young daughter Etta May of Standish avenue returned from Reading where she has been on account of the severe illness of her father.

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## ATLANTIC

Misses Enid and Hester Ayers of Beverly have been spending a week with their cousin, Mrs. V. J. Beede, of Billings street.

The Billiken Club of Atlantic held a successful dance in Poland hall, Saturday evening.

Friends are glad to see Mrs. John Murray about again. Her absence of nearly a week was caused by illness.

Mr. Wood is confined to his home on Madison street by illness.

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## SQUANTUM

Paul Lovejoy has completely recovered from his recent illness and returned to business in Maine, where he is located for the present.

Mrs. Fred Lovejoy, who was called home from New York where she was visiting by the illness of her son Paul, returned to her sisters in Brooklyn on Sunday for an indefinite stay.

A. B. Aldrich, who has been ill at his home on Dorchester street, with typhoid fever, has been removed to the Quincy Hospital. His condition is reported very critical.

Summer people are beginning to return to Squantum early this season. Leon Cohen and family are among the first to move into their summer home.

## MONTCLAIR

Theodore Parlee has moved his family from John street to their new home on Montclair avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ayers of Bowdoin street, Belmont Park, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Russell Dicey of Montclair is seriously ill in the Quincy City Hospital. Mr. Dicey was operated on last week.

## SLEIGH PARTIES.

A sleigh party from Mattapan called at Lee's Inn Friday night, Feb. 27, and enjoyed an excellent supper after which games and singing were enjoyed until a late hour. Those in the party were Rev. G. L. McKim, Mrs. A. L. Pine and Mrs. Hattie Robins, who acted as chaperons. The following young people, all members of Rev. McKim's church, were: Edith Fisher, Lillian and Vera Graham, Helen Huntley, Hazel Dorian, Jack Ross, E. A. Robinson, Leroy Pine, Ellen Fisher, J. C. Pine, Thomas Kirkhart and F. L. Gentles.

A party of young people from South Boston and Dorchester headed for Lee's Inn Saturday night in puns experienced some difficulty in reaching their destination. It had thawed considerably during the day and evening and they soon found their four horses could not pull the puns so a stage was made on the way and two extra horses were hired to finish the trip.

After the appetizing supper served by Lee's an excellent musical program delighted the guests. As they departed three roving cheerers were given Squantum, the Lee's and for the good supper.

Mrs. Daniel Egan and Mrs. William Corbett of Dorchester chapter attended the following young people: The Misses Eagan, Mary Corbett, Regina Lyon, Kitty Tessler, and trade Lyon, Mildred O'Neill Daisy Howe, Geraldine Corbett, Bessie Forsythe, Mollie Fitzpatrick, Edna Tobin, Frank W. Murray, J. F. Brennan, J. F. Doyle, F. J. Corbett and J. Ballantine.

## ROYAL CHIEF COMING.

Clan MacGregor, No. 5, O. S. C. is to tender a monster reception to Royal Chief Alex D. Findlay of Seattle, Wash., on the occasion of his visit to Quincy on Friday, March 13.

The clan has secured Quincy Music hall and Chief Angus D. Martin and his amusement committee have perfected plans necessary to make the affair a success.

Caterer Carroll D. Whittemore of Boston is to purvey a banquet, and it is necessary to say that Music hall will be crowded.

Royal Chief Findlay will be accompanied by a number of the Royal Clan officers who live in this vicinity, and as he is a fine speaker those who have the privilege of meeting and hearing him will enjoy a treat.

The clan will meet at the Clan hall on Sunday, March 8, at 7 o'clock and parade to the First Presbyterian church to attend divine service.







SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1914

## SQUANTUM ASSOCIATION.

Speakers at the regular meeting of the Squantum Improvement association at Lee's Inn Tuesday night commended the construction of the tracks of the Squantum branch of the Bay State Street railway and the prevalence of gypso motifs on the Lotta Crabtree estate. It was voted that the matter of the street car tracks be referred to the Street railway committee for action. A letter is to be written by the secretary of the association to the commissioners of Public Works of Quincy complaining of the gypso motifs. It was stated that if prompt action was not taken in regard to the street railway tracks there would surely be a fatal accident upon this line.

James H. Sumner said: "Today sixty school children and a number of passengers were piled in a heap upon the floor of a car which jumped the tracks and hung upon the brink of an embankment along the causeway. It was a narrow escape from a serious accident. The same kind of an accident happened a few weeks before. If attention is not given to this matter I do not see how the street railway company can escape a serious accident. I cannot understand why something is not done before human life is sacrificed in a car accident."

Mr. Dahlquist speaking of conditions on the Lotta Crabtree estate in Squantum said: "The trees there are covered with gypso motifs ready on the first warm day to hatch out their young and send them by the millions all over Squantum and all over Quincy. Last year nothing was done to ward off the gypso motifs and as a result the trees were loaded down with the pests. It is useless for anyone in Squantum to try and keep the trees clean when they are allowed to grow by the millions upon the Crabtree estate."

The following committee was appointed by President Herbert A. Smith to follow up the subject of the gypso motifs, and if attention is not paid to the complaints to the City of Quincy, to see if State officials will not act: Councilman John R. Nelson, Mr. Dahlquist and Mr. Friberg. It was voted that the association have another social affair in the near future, and the matter was left in the hands of the executive committee.

Carl Oberg was elected a member of the association. It was voted that any new members joining the association between their dues and the annual meeting that they stand paid to the annual meeting of June 1915.

Mr. Sumner, chief inspector of the Cambridge Gas Company, who has had 20 years experience in the making of gas, gave a very interesting talk on "Gas: how it is made and consumed." He touched upon every phase of the gas question and answered many questions. He said that the reason why Quincy could not expect gas as cheaply as in larger cities was the fact that there was tremendous outlay of piping in a city so widely and sparsely settled as Quincy. He said the cost of gas was greatly influenced by the mileage of pipe and the cost of consumers. He said that even at \$1.20 per thousand feet Quincy was receiving very good service. When the city is more settled and the number of consumers in a given area is greatly increased as in the City of Cambridge and Somerville, he said a reduction could be looked for.

## PASTORS TO EXCHANGE.

Sixteen of the churches of Quincy will be addressed on Sunday morning, March 22, by a local clergyman of a different denomination interested in this unique exchange are the pastors of our Congregational, Unitarian, Baptist, Universalist, Methodist, Presbyterian, and Mission churches, in different parts of the city.

This action is taken by vote of the Quincy Ministers' Association "as an expression of friendly feeling and good will," the following clergymen agreeing to occupy the pulpit of a sister denomination:

Rev. W. A. Ayers, (Congregationalist) at Wollaston Methodist church.

Rev. G. M. Bailey, (Baptist) at Wollaston Unitarian.

Rev. T. W. Davidson, (Congregationalist) at Wollaston Baptist.

Rev. C. G. Horst, (Unitarian) at Park and Downs Congregational.

Rev. C. G. Horst, (Unitarian) at First Universalist, 2 P. M.

Rev. A. L. Hudson, (Unitarian) at Bethany Congregational.

Rev. S. C. Lane, (Congregationalist) at Hill Place Methodist.

Rev. T. C. Martin, (Methodist) at Quincy Point Congregational.

Rev. J. A. Matheson, (Presbyterian) at Wollaston Congregational.

Rev. Donald B. McLeod, (Presbyterian) at Calvary Baptist.

Rev. E. C. Peckard, (Methodist) at Houghs Neck Union.

Rev. W. J. Sayre, (Union) at Atlantic Methodist.

Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D. (Congregationalist) at First Presbyterian.

Rev. C. C. Tilly, (Baptist) at United Presbyterian.

Rev. Joseph Walther, (Baptist) at Atlantic Memorial, Atlantic.

Rev. Merrill C. Ward, (Universalist) at Church of the Unity, Randolph, at 4 P. M.

Rev. B. A. Willmot, (Congregationalist) at First Parish Church.

United action like this by the clergy of the city should do much to unite the churches in a common cause and should have good results.

## QUINCY CHORAL SOCIETY.

The regular weekly rehearsal of the Quincy Choral Society was held in New Hancock hall, Tuesday evening, with an attendance of about 60 members. Silas Rousseau, violinist, was a guest of the society and contributed two solos for the enjoyment of members, with Miss Ethel Raymond as accompanist.

Work on the "Elijah" choruses is rapidly being perfected under the direction of Dunham's direction and with the splendid list of soloists secured, who have been previously announced in these columns, the performance on April 21st promises to be a grand one. At the March 24th rehearsal, Miss Isabella Murphy, contralto, was the soloist, singing arias from "Samson and Delilah."

Those interested in brightening their homes should not fail to see the exhibition of electric and gas lighting fixtures, as shown by McKenney & Waterbury Co., Franklin St., corner Congress, Boston.

## BRIEFS

Ex-Senator Eugene H. Sprague addressed the pupils of the High school on Monday.

Miss Julia Swan of Abington is the guest of Mrs. Walter Ewell of Foster street.

Mr. Alfred W. Goodhue has been confined to his home for the past week with a severe case of grippe.

The 47th annual encampment of the Massachusetts Department of the G. A. R. will be held in Faneuil hall, Boston, April 7.

Directions have been received from the State authorities requiring that the school census records be kept in a fire proof safe.

Employees of the Beacon Laundry of Boston died at the cafe of J. W. Denham in City Square Tuesday night. There were 30 in the party and the trip was made in a motor truck.

Abbot Johnson of Upland road received a painful injury to his right calf fall upon it at his place of business in Henry L. Kincaide and Mrs. Kincaide have returned from an enjoyable stay at Palm Beach, Florida, and are at their home on Whitney road.

A pleasant gathering took place Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abington, 80 Main street, for the occasion being a farewell party in honor of Mrs. Rogerston of Baxter Lane, about thirty being present.

A whist party was held in G. A. R. hall Wednesday under the auspices of the Sons of Veterans Aid Society. Prizes were awarded to Albert Williams, C. F. Strattard, Fannie Grillon, and Abbie Ours.

Rev. Adolph L. Hudson will occupy his pulpit Sunday morning and resume the series of sermons on "The Great Affirmations of Unitarian Faith." The special theme will be "A Unitarian's Faith in Jesus Christ."

Supt. Nicol at Mt. Wollaston cemetery reports that there have been 80 interments in the cemetery since January 1 which breaks all records. There are other cemeteries in the city and some bodies have been cremated.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Stone, nee Helen Dawson of Taunton, formerly of Braintree were guests in Quincy over the week end coming for a farewell visit to Mrs. Stone's uncle, L. Dowling Williams, who went abroad this week.

One interested in the welfare of their shade or fruit trees would like them looked over and cared for may receive the attention of expert men by applying to Mrs. John D. Mackay of the tree department of the Quincy Women's Club.

Mr. Paul Zerrahn, nee Madeleine Brown of Springfield, arrived the first of the week for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Brown of Elm street and will stay over for the observance of Mr. Brown's birthday on the seventeenth.

Rev. Henry M. Saville of the Church of the Ascension in Waltham is to preach Sunday evening at Christ church in exchange with Rev. E. Armstrong. At the Wednesday night service, Rev. A. M. Taylor of the Church of the Holy Spirit, Mattapan will preach.

Dr. Daniel B. Reardon has purchased the Russell homestead on Hancock street, corner of Russell park and will shortly occupy the premises. It is understood that Mrs. Charles Russell (Elsie Russell) will make her summer home at Amherst, N. H., their future home.

Quincy chapter, Order of Eastern Star, held its annual dancing party in Alpha hall, Friday, March 6, and the threatening weather in no way affected the attendance. There were 175 couples present that entered into the spirit of the occasion, and participated in the dancing until midnight.

The annual theatre party and dinner of the young ladies of the City Hall was held Saturday afternoon. During the first part of the afternoon they saw the play "Within the Law," after which they separated, part going to Flen's for dinner and part to Young's hotel. All report having had a good time.

The Daytona Daily News of Daytona, Florida, reports that ex-Councilman E. W. Branch of Quincy was toastmaster at a birthday party on March 2 to Jacob Wesley Wilbur at Wilbur-by-the-Sea. He also contributed a poem entitled "Contentment" to the tune of "Solomon Levi." It was a great event at that resort.

Commander John S. Blagdon of John A. Boyd Camp 2, U. S. W. V., is a candidate for department junior vice commander. He has been twice elected commander of the Boyd camp and is assistant department adjutant on the department staff this year.

Frederic B. Bogan camp 14, under the old legion charter and is a charter member.

Miss Minnie Lake of Scotland arrived Sunday and found an expectant bridegroom awaiting her at the wharf in Boston. Monday evening in the presence of a house full of friends at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Kay, 64 Waisora terrace they were united in marriage by Rev. B. A. Willmot of Bethany Congregational church. They will reside in Quincy.

Mrs. Anna Peterson of 9 Cranch street was pleasantly surprised Friday, March 6, by her sons and their wives and a few other friends, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Many tokens of remembrance were brought by the surprised who also showered her with congratulations and wished her many more birthdays. Games of various kinds were enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served.

Catherine Peterson's funeral was held from her home on Granite street on Friday. She was in her 79th year and one of the oldest members of the Swedish Lutheran church. Services were conducted by Rev. Leander Holmstrom, pastor, and music was by the church choir. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Oscar Hermanson.

Ten tables were in play Wednesday evening at the weekly whist tournament of the Granite City Club. The two best scores of the evening were made by John Curtis and Isaac Good-nough. The entertainment committee served ice cream and cake after the tournament. The regular meeting of the club will be held this evening at which time plans for the annual banquet and entertainment will be announced.

## BRIEFS

L. Dowling Williams of Adams street sailed this week for Europe for a few months' tour.

Mrs. William H. Doble of South street has returned from a mid-winter visit to New York.

Chief of Police Barrett is laid up with a severe head cold. He is not alone in his affliction as head colds are quite prevalent at the present time.

John Adams aerie, established a record in organization circles Wednesday night when it acted on 50 applications presented for consideration at the regular meeting in Electric hall all over the State.

Manet encampment of Odd Fellows will visit Rockland on Tuesday evening, March 17, and exemplify the Golden Rule degree. The work of the local encampment is attracting attention all over the State.

Soon the golf fields will be thronged with their clubs and like it should the green at Montclair if this weather continues. Quite a number of Quincy business men have taken up the pad and in good weather can be found on the links.

George W. Pennington, formerly of Quincy, was unanimously re-elected grand warden of Grand Lodge, New England Order of Protection, Wednesday in the largest convention of the order has held in its 27 years of existence more than 800 past wardens being present.

David A. Smith of Gloucester, left the first of the week for an extended business trip through the southern states, going direct to Little Rock, Arkansas. Mr. Smith acts in capacity of a traveling salesman for the S. A. Woods Machine Co. of South Boston, manufacturers of wood working machinery.

The Home Rule bill was discussed by Daniel Donahue, George D. Cahill, Patrick Cronin and Peter McCarthy at the meeting of Quincy Branch, No. 11, United Irish Land League, in City hall hall, Sunday night. Vice President Samuel T. Drew presided. There were 50 members present. Peter McCarthy, Samuel T. Drew, David Warner, Frank Clanton, David Horvick, Henry Murphy were appointed to arrange for an entertainment on March 16, in honor of St. Patrick's day.

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## Notes and Comments.

—Beverly has consolidated the street, highway, sewer, bridge, water, park and forestry departments into the department of public works. The purpose is to secure a more efficient and economic administration of departmental work. The commissioner of public works will be appointed by the mayor for a term of two years. A deputy commissioner will also be appointed, but appointments to be subject to confirmation by the aldermen.

—Common sense ought to know that in an age of general competition things cannot be made or sold for less than their market value, and hence it is absurd to talk about cheapness. But there is something more important than that to be understood, something that touches the welfare of a whole nation—namely, that a habit of doing bad work is degrading, like a habit of telling lies. Thoroughness of work is honesty of character, without which no nation can progress.—Westminster Gazette.

—Competition is the life of trade and sometimes the death of it. New York has three-cent "movies" and Chicago is showing six reels for a cent.

—The Lowell Courier-Citizen thinks a better thing than penny letters would be a larger and stronger delivery system. The postal men of a country do their best and do a lot of work, but it is apparent that the parcel post started that there are not enough of them in many cities; perhaps it's the fact in all.

—A movement has been inaugurated in New York city, under Roman Catholic auspices, for a censorship of plays at all the city theatres. The movement has the endorsement of Cardinal Farley and no member of the Catholic church in good standing may witness any production that is not included in what is known as the white list. It is believed that church officials in other sections will adopt a similar policy and if so, as is anticipated, the effort results in revising the standard of the modern drama, it should receive the hearty support of the general public.—Milford Gazette.

—With the railroads being crowded to the corner by being obliged to carry parcel post packages for less than cost Postal Savings Bank, Life Insurance, insurance done by the State, etc., you can when your business is wrecked and taken over by the government go to the soup houses which are again opened up—or starve. In the meantime, educate your children, for if you don't you will then be obliged to beg for a scholarship.—Belmont Courier.

—A fine merry-go-round is revealed by the discovery that insurance adjusters in New York have been buying back stolen automobiles from the fences to reduce the loss. The owner pays the insurance company, the insurance adjuster pays the fence, the fence pays the thief and the thief goes out to beg another car.—Milford Gazette.

—Boys should be taught to work, says Supt. of Schools Farley, and the youngest school children to be taught about that result. It isn't altogether easy to inspire the modern youth with a desire for hard labor, however. It wasn't easy in the youth of olden days, either, but if the boys then didn't work they were likely to meet an argument that left them to desire to dodge work at the price of being unable to dodge something worse.—Brookline Enterprise.

—In the city of Boston, with a total white population of 655,636, the English and Celtic (including Irish, Scotch, or Welsh) number 21,310, or 42 per cent. Yiddish or Hebrew, 57,072, or 9 per cent; Italian 50,230, or 8 per cent; German 26,566, or 4 per cent; Slavic and Lettic, 13,161, or 2 per cent; Swedish, 12,067, or 2 per cent; and the French 9,240, or 1.4 per cent.

—The errand boys and stock clerks of a large concern are the underpinnings on which the success of that house is to stand, and they in part must be taught to feel the dignity of the business in which they have become participants," was urged in a talk on "In Business for Yourself," by George S. Smith, former president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, before the members of a class in "Business Efficiency and Salesmanship," at the Boston Y. M. C. Union, a few nights ago. The trouble with some clerks is that they are more time-servers and fall utterly to crasp the fact that their own interests and those of their employer are identical.—Banker & Tradesman.

—Now is the best time to put in work against the pestiferous fly. Let not one of the first to appear escape to propagate their kind. An hour's time during March or even April is worth a week after the flies are well started on their season's work. Let not one guilty one escape. See, also, that all filth, rubbish and manure are removed or buried so that flies have no change to breed. If you must keep your tin cans about the place, be sure to wash them before putting them in your barrel or other receptacle. Eternal vigilance is the price of a clean town!

## SUFFRAGE PARADE.

A "marching chorus" comprised of a large number of men and women singers will be one of the features of the suffrage parade which is to be held in Boston on May 2. The suffrage leaders are planning to make this chorus one worth going miles to hear.

## CITY COUNCIL.

Two or three short but spirited debates lived up to the meeting of the City Council Monday evening. These debates were on the budget, on a resolution to amend the City Charter, and on a resolution relative to the shipyard. Every member of the Council was present and there was a large attendance of citizens.

## PUBLIC RECORDS.

The Mayor forwarded a communication relative to repairing the safes and vaults where public records are kept at City Hall. He also enclosed a communication from the Commissioner of Public Records' office, stating the condition in which he had found the safes and vaults, and ordering them changed so as to remove any wooden material in them. The Mayor estimated the cost of the changes necessary at \$299. Referred to Finance Committee.

## APPOINTMENTS.

Communications were received from the Mayor making the following appointments:  
Constables, Joseph Hayes and Paul A. Hervey, confirmed.  
Appointing William L. Buckley as chairman of Assessors. Placed on file.  
Appointing the following Assistant Assessors, Francis M. Curtis, G. Wesley Sargent, August Weeden, Jeremiah J. Lyons, Charles R. Sherman, Benjamin F. Thomas. Placed on file.

## AUTO FIRE ENGINE.

A communication was received from the Board of Trade relative to the auto fire engine building at the Fore River shipyard. Laid on the table until later, when Councilman Williams offered a resolution requesting the Mayor to extend an invitation to the Fore River Corp. to try out its new fire apparatus in Quincy. A committee consisting of the Mayor, President of the Council and three members of the Council to make arrangements for the entertaining of visiting firemen on the day of the try out; also an order appropriating \$100 to be expended by the committee in entertaining visitors. Resolved and order adopted.

## PETITIONS.

President Whiton appointed as the committee from the Council, Councilmen Ross, Richards and Bailey.  
The Mayor spoke at length about the cut made in the appropriation for Inspector of Buildings. He said that the Inspector paid a clerk \$2 a week, but that the cut only gave him \$200. He believed that in order to see that the provisions of the building law was carried out the Inspector should have a cheap automobile.

Councilman Little spoke on the matter of street lighting, claiming that all night street lighting was a luxury. He believed that lighting the streets until 1 o'clock was late enough. He had some figures on it.  
Councilman Ross suggested that he have his stenographer make copies so that every member might have a copy of the figures to study.

The order was ordered to a second reading.  
A public hearing was held at 8 o'clock on the petition of the Electric Light Co. for a location for poles after which the order was recommitted.

## WATER EXTENSION.

The committee on Water Supply reported an amendment to the order for extending the water main to Quincy. The cost was made necessary as the later amount is the balance remaining of the amount authorized by the special act of 1911. To Finance Committee.

The same committee reported upon a petition for \$500 for building a new drain at South Quincy. Referred to Finance Committee.  
The same committee reported reference to the Executive on the petition for a sewer on Beach street, and on the order for a sewer on Water street.

## FIRE ALARM BOX.

The committee on Fire Department reported a substitute order for \$100 for a fire alarm box on the corner of Appleton street and the Quincy Shore drive. Referred to Finance Committee.

## STREET WATERING.

The committee on Streets to whom was referred the various petitions for street oiling or watering reported the annual street watering or oiling order. Ordered to a second reading.

The same committee reported an order concerning the Metropolitan Park Commission in taking of land near the Neponset bridge for park purposes. Referred to Finance Committee.  
The same committee reported an order granting the Electric Light Co. a location for poles. Ordered to a second reading.

## IN CASE OF VACANCY.

Councilman Ross offered a resolution, requesting the Mayor to petition the Legislature to amend the City Charter so as to provide that in case of a vacancy in the office of Mayor the office should be filled for the remainder of the municipal year by the President of the Council and that in case of a vacancy in the office of councilman the vacancy should be filled by the election of a new man for the remainder of the year by the remaining members of the Council. Referred to Committee on Legislative Matters.

## ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS.

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Committee had authority to fix the compensation for teachers. The law also provided that schools must be open for at least 22 weeks each year. What the School Committee would do if the amount was cut he did not know. Chairman Mackay then read a decision of the Supreme court which gave the School Committee the power to fix salaries, and that it was not restricted to the amount appropriated by the Council. The School Committee was answerable to the voters of Quincy.

Councilman Erickson asked the Mayor why it was that he had cut one of the amounts in the school budget \$2000. The Mayor replied that he had done so after consultation with the Chairman and Superintendent of the Board.

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Councilman Bailey asked about the Question book, or rather what the City Charter provided.

City Solicitor Pinkham said the resolution was the proper method. He further said that as City Solicitor he was not called upon to give legal opinions to councilmen as individuals, but at request of the Council as a body.

## THE RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED.

The Mayor spoke at length about the cut made in the appropriation for Inspector of Buildings. He said that the Inspector paid a clerk \$2 a week, but that the cut only gave him \$200. He believed that in order to see that the provisions of the building law was carried out the Inspector should have a cheap automobile.

Councilman Little spoke on the matter of street lighting, claiming that all night street lighting was a luxury. He believed that lighting the streets until 1 o'clock was late enough. He had some figures on it.  
Councilman Ross suggested that he have his stenographer make copies so that every member might have a copy of the figures to study.

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A public hearing was held at 8 o'clock on the petition of the Electric Light Co. for a location for poles after which the order was recommitted.

The committee on Water Supply reported an amendment to the order for extending the water main to Quincy. The cost was made necessary as the later amount is the balance remaining of the amount authorized by the special act of 1911. To Finance Committee.

The same committee reported upon a petition for \$500 for building a new drain at South Quincy. Referred to Finance Committee.  
The same committee reported reference to the Executive on the petition for a sewer on Beach street, and on the order for a sewer on Water street.

## FIRE ALARM BOX.

The committee on Fire Department reported a substitute order for \$100 for a fire alarm box on the corner of Appleton street and the Quincy Shore drive. Referred to Finance Committee.

The committee on Streets to whom was referred the various petitions for street oiling or watering reported the annual street watering or oiling order. Ordered to a second reading.

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Councilman Hadlock offered an order for a light on Channing street. Referred to the Executive.

Councilman Erickson offered an order for the laying out of that part of Saville street between Tipland road and Goffe street as a public foot way. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Erickson offered an order for a granite sidewalk on the south side of Maple street and for a distance of fifty feet on the easterly side Chestnut street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Williams offered an order for \$1,500 for the rebuilding of Seammell street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Griffin offered an order for the acceptance of the unaccepted side Chestnut street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

## NAVY YARD CONTRACT.

Councilman Griffin offered the following resolve:

"Whereas, the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation, employing about 1,000 persons, is the most important industry in the City of Quincy, and its continued successful business is of vital consequence to our citizens. For these reasons we consider it distinctly opposed to our local prosperity that the Navy Yard at Charlestown should be equipped for the building of vessels which can only result in the diminution of the quantity of ship construction available for our local plant and the establishment of conditions discouraging to private industry."

Councilman Beeman thought that we ought to go slow. If the contract for the supply ship did not go to the Charlestown yard it would go to another navy yard and Massachusetts would be out of it.

Councilman Griffin said that there was a movement in Congress to have all government work done at navy yards. As about 80 per cent of the Fore River work was government work it could be readily seen how the plant would be affected. He believed that the Council should support anything that is for the advantage of Quincy.

Councilman Ross objected to the statement in the resolution that the Fore River yard was the most important business in Quincy. He placed the Granite industry first and moved after saying "one of the important industries. Amendment accepted.

Councilman Corcoran was surprised. It was a step backward to adopt the resolution. Everything now was treading toward government ownership.

Councilman Barrows said, the question is not, shall the Charlestown navy yard build ships, but shall the government build ships? To say that the government would build ships, and not build ships would be a wrong step. Councilman Nelson opposed. We should be more broad minded.

Councilman Ross was called to the chair.

President Whiton taking the floor made a strong plea for the resolution. He said that fifteen years ago the Fore River Corp. came to Quincy. He was surprised to hear any man speak one word against anything that will benefit a Quincy industry. Mayor Curley was doing all he could to clean up the Charlestown navy yard. He considered the Quincy yards first. They are also trying to pass a bill that all work shall be done in government yards. Do you realize what it will mean to Quincy to have the Fore River plant shut down. Aside from throwing many out of employment it will make many vacant houses in that district, which it will be impossible to rent. The Board of Trade and others are doing all they can to foster local industries and you now stand up against this resolution. It is time we woke up and did something. He did not believe it necessary for the Board of Trade to tell us what to do. If a little resolve like this will help retain the Fore River plant in Quincy I am astounded that anyone should oppose it. If we continue in this way we will soon be like the city of Alexandria where the grass is growing in the streets.

Councilman Little believed that we should do what we could to help local industries and to keep the shipyard here.

Councilman Bailey said that all these government ownership matters meant a larger cost to the citizens who have to pay the bill. Take for instance the case of the Adams Express. It has been established at the sacrifice of express companies and it is the people who will have to pay the cost.

The resolution was adopted.

Adjourned at 9:30 until March 26.

## TURKEY SUPPER.

Covers were laid for 24 at the turkey supper served on Monday evening at Odd Fellows' hall by the sewing circle of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge, when gentlemen were guests, and it was a very select and enjoyable affair. Green predominated in the decorations of the table. It had been established at the sacrifice of express companies and it is the people who will have to pay the cost.

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## LAND LEAGUE.

Quincy Branch, No. 41, United Irish Land League, the oldest organization of the kind in the country, celebrated the eve of St. Patrick's day in Canfield's hall Tuesday night with a lengthy and interesting program.

President Peter McConary opened the exercises with a speech of welcome to the members and friends who were present to the number of 200, after which there was an informal discussion of the Home Rule question.

Typical songs were sung by James McVey, and John Quinlan gave a specialty which included Irish jig and reel steps and Irish songs. Dancing followed, music being furnished by Alex. McDonald and Daniel Chisolm. Donald Abbot was sung by Peter McConary and Patrick McInnis sang St. Patrick's day.

Later in the evening a supper was served at which the members responded to various toasts. Our Absent brothers was responded to by George Cahill.

Vice President Samuel T. Drew, the only Cape Cod Yankee that ever held office, who joined because of his love for freedom, was presented with a large bunch of shamrock.

Mr. Drew also read some original verses written by Daniel T. McCarthy entitled "When Ireland's dream comes true."

## FAIR CLASS POSTMASTER'S CANDIDATES TAKE EXAMS IN APRIL.

It was hoped they demonstrate their ability to read postal cards quickly.

## AMONG THE CLUBS.

(Continued from Page Three.)

## QUINCY WOMEN'S CLUB.

Mrs. Edward S. Tenney, of the Art committee is much pleased at the interest being shown in the Picture Study lecture to be given at the club-house Friday afternoon, April 17. Subscribers of this year and it is hoped a large sum will be realized as the proceeds are to be used in purchasing pictures for the clubhouse in memory of Mrs. Charles L. Seavey, a club member and chairman at her death of the Art committee. The lecture is to be by C. Frederick Whitcomb and will be illustrated by blackboard. Mrs. Mellen of the Education committee is asking members for contributions of money, candy, grabs, etc. for the children's May festival this year instead of the usual may-baskets.

## WOLLASTON WOMAN'S CLUB.

The first president's day and birthday of the Wollaston Woman's Club was celebrated Tuesday afternoon at the Park and Downs church and the edifice was filled to overflowing. The decorations were unique being a combination of buff and blue, the colonial colors and small nosegays of bachelor buttons, marguerites and a spray of maiden-hair fern for each officer and guest.

The platform was prettily decorated with palms and ferns. Plants with josselyn in profusion, making a fitting background for the fair members of the Glee Club, who rendered most perfectly the following selections: "To Thee O Country," "A Song at Sunrise" in which Miss Hardy excelled herself in the soprano solo and "Yankee Doodle" solo part by Mrs. W. H. Spooner, assisted by the chorus.

The ushers including Mrs. W. P. Tripp, Mrs. W. G. Road, Mrs. J. R. Burke, Mrs. W. H. Nichols, Mrs. Herbert Healy and Mrs. Howard. The ushers wore colonial costumes including bicorne hats, powdered hair, looking most attractive.

Mrs. A. D. Ropes, president, called the meeting promptly to order and at once seemed to spread through the audience a feeling of welcome and perfect hospitality. She gave a pleasing speech of welcome and introduced the first speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. John Ames, president of the Cantabrigia Club of Cambridge who gave a short talk on the immense amount of work done by the club in its last 22 years of life and spoke of the Wollaston Woman's Club on the Wollaston woman's club.

Mrs. Henry Colledge Mulligan of the State Federation followed and her sweet and charming manner endeared her to the hearts of all. Her address was chiefly on the benefit of the club to the women of the country and made a very witty remark that the quickest way to obtain information was to telephone, telegraph and tell a woman.

The most thrilling speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. Frank Young of the Boston City Federation who spoke of the lack of true reverence and respect for their elders and the holy things of life by the majority of the young folks. She closed her address by the recital of America and in closing the meeting all joined in singing that anthem, till the rafters fairly rung.

A most enjoyable social hour was spent in the vestry where the color scheme was also buff and blue. All were served with ices and cake.

An informal reception was held and all declared it a perfect day.

Those who assisted in serving were Mrs. Edward E. Jameson, Mrs. Mary C. Smalley, Mrs. J. W. Shaw and Mrs. J. K. Barber. Mrs. E. Percival Thompson had charge of the decorations.

## Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY.

The regular March meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. was held March thirteenth with a good attendance. It being the annual "Spring day," the ladies were pleased to welcome a number of new mothers of the boy members of the Y. M. C. A.

The meeting opened with devotions in charge of Mrs. J. Arthur Jewell, who read from Prov. 31-10 the familiar description of a good woman, and which was most helpful and practical comment.

Mrs. Isaac Goddard sang very sweetly, "Just for Today."

Sturgis Hunt, who with a group of the Quincy boys attended the boys' conference recently held in Lawrence, brought back some of the best of the boys' and girls' songs, and told of the gratifying results of the conference.

The speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. Edward S. Tead who had a message to the mothers. She took four of Christ's references to children typifying obedience, peace, work and worship and urged mothers to make a study of the control and direction of their children's lives. She held the closest attention of her hearers and all were inspired and helped by her words.

During the social hour tea was served by Mrs. H. Brown, Mrs. George Wardwell, Mrs. Mary M. Newcomb and Mrs. E. P. Smith.

## UNIVERSALIST MISSION CIRCLE.

Mrs. Harriet Lombard opened her home to the Mission Circle of the Universalist church, Monday afternoon. After the devotional exercises, reports were heard from directors. Mrs. Lombard included the outlook which reported missionary opportunities at home and abroad, while the social service committee reported as having cheered the sick, and shut-ins, by visits and flowers.

An instructive paper, from the reciprocity committee, was read, and called to the agencies for making the World Better," among which included: Jane Addams and her marvelous work at Hull House, Chicago, Ill.; the successful work of the George Junior Republic, in New York. The heroism displayed by Father Damien, who died in his work on his work on the bleak and desolate island of Molokai, out in the Pacific ocean, among eight hundred lepers. Here Father Damien worked alone for ten years. Ever in his mind, were the words of the Prophet Isaiah. Every man shall help his neighbor, and shall say to his brother, Be of good cheer." The Labrador people, much have considered Dr. Grenfell, a messenger from God, when he appeared

to them twenty-one years ago. Almost completely isolated as they were. Most assuredly he is about his business. Word comes that Rev. John Bancroft Bissbee, a minister of the Universalist faith, has been appointed to preach, during the absence of Dr. Grenfell, who is now in this part of the country, lecturing and raising funds to carry on his work.

At this meeting, money was appropriated to assist in the work at Camp Hill, Alabama; the Labrador Mission; the work in North Carolina and the home church. The April meeting will be with Mrs. Addison and the watchword, "Together."

## DAUGHTERS OF REVOLUTION.

Some two hundred Daughters of the Revolution were in attendance at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Society in Tremont Temple, Boston.

Mrs. Susan B. Plummer, who has held office five years in the society, three years as regent, presided and in her report said that she had visited 21 state chapters in her regency. A short account of the gifts which were received for the new state headquarters in the Hotel Westminister was given. These include rugs, a sofa, money, dishes, silver, and linens on table covers. More than double the attendance of past years at the social meetings was reported, the time being 30 persons.

The treasurer, Mrs. Elizabeth T. Holbrook, announced balance on hand of \$1500.93; expenditures for year \$2,707.33; also that \$42 had been received toward a new piano for the state headquarters. The house for 1914 is \$25.18.

Mrs. Mary A. Todd, registrar, announced increase in membership for the year, 35.

Officers elected were: Regent, Mrs. Ethel S. Bolton of Brookline; vice-regent, Mrs. Annie M. Nye Smith of Newton; recording secretary, Mrs. Caroline F. Woodbury of Allston; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Ella J. Prescott of Somerville; treasurer, Mrs. Elizabeth P. Holbrook of South Boston; registrar, Miss Mary A. Todd of Lynn; librarian, Mrs. Mae M. Buckley of Dorchester; historian, Miss Elsie K. Rowe of Boston; councilors, Mrs. Julia M. Smith of Allston, Mrs. Mary E. Fitch of Brookline, Mrs. Carolyn E. Cole of South Boston and Mrs. Sarah F. Sargent of Malden.

## MEANS MEETING.

Kincaid's theatre was filled Sunday afternoon at the meeting for men held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Every seat in the auditorium was taken and there were also many seats in the balcony. On the platform aside from the speaker and the soloists who assisted were Secretary Bromley of the Y. M. C. A. and the mens chorus of thirty or more voices. The meeting opened as usual with singing of gospel hymns following which came the scripture lesson and prayer.

The speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. Elizabeth Packard Larsen of St. Paul, Minn., who gave several dramatic recitals from "Black Rock" or the "Miners' Guardian Angel" from Ralph Connor's great book.

The selections given by Mrs. Larsen were "Mr. Craig, the sky pilot, or Christmas eve in a lumber camp," in which the supper around the round table was vividly pictured. Her second selection was the "Miners' Guardian Angel," a story of Mrs. Mavor who came to camp with her husband who soon afterward was killed in the mine. Mrs. Mavor is an excellent singer, and this with her willingness to help the "Sky Pilot" make a telling story. After the John D. Smith, chairman, Joseph Desmond, Edward Desmond, Walter Ogil and John Buzzi. The entertainment committee includes Richard Barry, W. Mariott, Edward Desmond, William Barron and George S. Hebert.

The Copeland Club was organized 12 years ago and its members have been active in promoting social and athletic life in the ward. During the past two years they have not been represented by an organized ball team but are contemplating this year.

Among its past presidents are Alphonse E. LeClair and Edward J. Desjardins.

## ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Rev. Father Bustin, one of three Catholic priests doing missionary work among the colored people of the south, preached at all the masses at St. John's church Sunday. Father Bustin has devoted many years to the work and gave an interesting resume of the growth of Catholicism among them in the past few years.

Because of his close association with the colored race Father Bustin could explain conditions as they exist. He told of the thousands of colored Catholics in the south and spoke of one town in Alabama where a colored mammy bordering now on the nineties had publicly recited the rosary daily for fifty years and that in that time there had been no infractions of the law committed and that the place was unknown in police annals.

Retiring president Alfred J. LaCroix and the other officers were given vote of thanks for the work of the past year. After adjournment they rolled in a special match at the Coliseum alleys Monday night, Johnston had best single 91 and Mullany best total 257. The totals:

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## SACRED CANTATA.

The Sacred Cantata "A Day with our

Lord" by T. M. Patterson, was given

in the First Presbyterian church Fri-

day, Mar. 20, under auspices of the

choir and direction of Frank C. Gil-

bert, organist. The attendance was

large.

The soloists were Miss Helen Cum-

mings, Miss Minnie Miller, and Mrs.

E. C. Gilbert soprano; Miss Helen

Everett, Miss Margaret McLeod, alto;

Everett Clark, tenor, George Davey

and Louis Martin, bass.

The cantata was given in two

parts with chorus singing, solos,

duets, trios and quartettes and a

fine presentation throughout. Duets

and solos were given between the

parts. Miss Cummings sang "Queen

of the Earth" by Piusini, Mrs. Gil-

bert and Mrs. Hodgkinson sang

Leslie's "Invisible Land," Mr. Davey

sang "The New Kingdom" by Tour-

ner. "The Holy City" rendered by Mr.

Clark closed the special program.

The cantata consists of 24 different

numbers and is a high class sacred

composition. The theme running

## TWO WAYS.

There are two ways to live on earth.

Two ways to judge, to act, to view.

For all things here have double birth.

A right and wrong, a false and true.

Give me the home where kindness

soaks To make that sweet which seemeth

small— Where every lip in fondness speaks

And every mind hath care for all.

Whose inmates live in glad exchange

Of pleasure, free from vain expense

Whose thoughts beyond their means

never range, Nor wise denials give offense.

Who in a neighbor's fortune find

No wish, no impulse to complain;

Who feel not—never felt—the mind

To envy yet another's gain.

Who dream of the mocking tide

Ambition's foiled endeavor meets—

The bitter pang of wounded pride:

No fallen power, that shuns the

street.

Though fate deny its glittering store,

Love's wealth is still the wealth to

choose; For all that gold can purchase more

Are gauds it is no loss to lose.

Some beings, whoso'er they go,

Find naught to please, or to exalt;

Their constant study but to show

Perpetual modes of finding fault.

While others in the ceaseless round

Of daily wants and daily care,

Can yet cut flowers from common

ground, And twice enjoy the joy they share.

Oh, happy they who happy make!

Who, blessing still themselves are

blest; Who something spare for other's sake,

And strive in all things for the best.

A MONSTER OF THE DEEP.

Quincy Harbor was in an uproar.

The wind was blowing half a gale

from the northwest, great waves

came tumbling in from the sound to

break with angry roars on the pebbly

beaches.

I was standing on the front porch

of Captain Barnabas Fish's snug cot-

tage on the west beach, watching for

that gallant sailorman to return from

his schooner Indus, where he had

been to see that everything was snug

and shipshape aboard.

Maria Fish came out and stood

beside me, her arms wrapped in her

blue gingham apron, her hair whipped

back by the wind.

"Captain coming?" she asked.

"Yes; he has just left the schooner.

See, Maria; there's a motor com-

ing in. I wonder if it's his boat out-

side."

"Looks like Ananias Sline's boat,"

remarked Maria. "He goes out into

the sound in all kinds of weather,

Ananias is as good a sailor as he is a

story teller."

"Then he must be an excellent

sailor" was my response.

We watched the motorboat ap-

proach the captain's dock, and there

saw it lead the smaller boat to the

steambath wharf, where they made a

difficult landing at the slippery wood-

en steps. But there were many

hands to help them.

"What the land are they all gab-

bling about?" wondered Maria as she

scouted through her cupped hands

at the dock. They're all gathered

around Ananias and the captain, and

Ananias is waving his arms—good

land, my pies will be burnt to a

crisp!" Maria darted into the house,

and I buttoned my sweater closely

around my throat and went for a walk

along the beach.

When I returned I met Captain

Barnabas at the gate.

"Get me a bite to eat as soon as you

can, Maria," said the captain as he

sat down in his favorite rocking chair

in the south window. I'm going out

again."

"Where?" demanded Maria crisply.

"Around to High Point. Ananias has

been out, and he's seen a sea serpent,

and—"

Maria turned a baleful eye upon

her husband.

"Sea serpent?" she repeated scorn-

fully. "Barnabas Fish, tell me the

truth—do you really believe there is

such a thing as a sea serpent?"

"Maria, I do," returned the captain

solemnly. "I never saw one, but I

have met many deep sea captains who

claimed to have seen sea serpents,

and 'tain't for me to gainsay them, for

I know there are more wonders un-

der the sea and in the sky than we

poor land pirates can ever hope to

guess at."

"Then you believe in this sea ser-

pent of Ananias?" persisted Maria.

"You really believe that there's a sea

serpent here in Long Island sound?"

"It is possible," admitted the cap-

tain.

"And you believe it on the word of

Ananias Sline?"

"I am open to conviction," re-

turned Captain Barnabas cautiously.

"Captain Barnabas, won't you take

me with you this morning?" I begged.

"But in all this latter of foam?"

he asked incredulously.

"I'd love it."

"All right. Purl your topknots, Miss

Telham, and you can come along.

Maria gave me a hot lunch with

plenty of sustaining coffee before we

set forth on our trip.

"You can bring us home a piece of

the critter's tail, Barnabas," she

called scornfully as we departed.

"You can count on it, Maria, if we

fight the critter," retorted her spouse.

It was arranged that we should ac-

company Ananias Sline in his motor-

boat, and so we beat our way around

the beach to the steamboat dock.

The news of Ananias' discovery had

drawn around the village, and when

we set forth we were accompanied

by a fleet of boats filled with the

hardy boatmen of Quincy Harbor, for

that old port has been the home of

scores of sailors, and shipbuilding is

still its chief industry.

Naturally, our boat led the way

Mr. Sline hovered over the wheel, his

jackety and nautical cap pulled low

## QUINCY POINT PASTOR.

The good work of new pastor at

Quincy Point, has attracted the at-

tention of Boston papers. The Her-

ald says:

The Rev. Stephen C. Lang, who re-

cently assumed the pastorate of the

Washington Street Congregational

Church of Quincy, has adopted some

unique methods to arouse interest on

the part of young people in church

work.

Mr. Lang is greatly interested in

athletics and believes that an interest

in church work among young people

can be best aroused by the develop-

ment of the physical powers.

When Mr. Lang came to Quincy

in November last, he began

by mingling with

## The Quincy Patriot

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1914

### NEW PRESIDENT.

The Norfolk Downs Improvement Association held its annual meeting in Poland's hall, Atlantic, on Thursday night, elected a new board of officers and received reports from several of its active committees. There were contests for all of the offices. A large membership was present.

James Thomas, who retired from the presidency, reported that the committee for a new school in the district had appeared before the School Committee and been well received, and that the only active opposition to a new building was from the people living in the immediate vicinity of the Massachusetts Fields school. He said they favored an enlargement. The report was discussed and the council may be asked within a few weeks to make the necessary appropriation for a new building. The committee after investigation finds that several sites are available, particularly one at Billings road and Faxon road.

Chairman Dunmore of the committee working in conjunction with the Montclair Improvement Association for an overhead traffic bridge at the Norfolk Downs station, reported the prompt attention rested on the solution of the abolition of grade crossings because the present grade may be affected. He said that land-owners have agreed that the amount of land damages that could be claimed would be nominal and in some cases forfeited.

The new officers elected were: President—Warren S. Gould. Vice President—John Small. Treasurer—Albert S. Robinson. Secretary—William Kell.

### Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

At the Men's meeting in Kincade's theatre Sunday afternoon Dr. Seerley is also to be the speaker. The University City Bell Ringers will give a concert from 3.05 to 3.30, and a double quartet will take part in the program as well as the men's chorus. The official windup of the season for seniors will take place on Friday April 3, although the class will continue to meet regularly through April and part of May. This final event will include an entertainment, report of the Physical Director, awarding of prizes for the year and refreshments and will be held in Association hall. The victorious second basketball team will be awarded the Championship shield which was won Wednesday night at Newton when Quincy settled the question of supremacy to the Quincy team. This is the second year that Quincy 2nd has held the Championship of Eastern Massachusetts in Basketball among Young Men's Christian Associations. There will be a meeting of fellows interested in the annual show, next Tuesday evening, March 31, at 7.30.

It is probable that either a minstrel show or a vaudeville show will be given in the latter part of April or early in May. Blanchard rolled the highest string of the year thus far on Tuesday getting 130 for single and 218 for three strings.

### NEW DIRECT MALIS.

Quincy newspapers, banks and merchants will appreciate the direct mails from Atlantic and Wollaston, which Superintendent Charles L. Hammond has just added. Heretofore it has been impossible to mail a letter at either place in the morning and have it delivered in other parts of Quincy before afternoon, but the new mails will arrive in Quincy in season for the second morning delivery.

By the new arrangement, extra mails will close at Atlantic at 3.15 and Wollaston at 3.15 reaching Quincy about an hour later. To take full advantage of these mails it will be necessary to deposit letters at the post offices and not in the letter boxes. As the letter carriers do not return in season from their first deliveries. Another suggestion, when mailing letters for these two mails, please take them to the stamp window, and say "letter for Quincy."

Correspondents of the Daily Ledger are requested to use the direct mails as other mails are too late. Remember to mail the letters at the post office.

### ENGAGEMENT.

Mrs. Sidney Hardwick of Elm street gave a bridge party Thursday evening at her home to announce the engagement of her daughter, Miss Minnie Edith Hardwick, daughter of Mrs. Henry E. Hardwick of Revere road to Lyman Howard Morrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Willard Morrison of Elm street Braintree.

The announcement came as a surprise, the secret being very prettily told by pink tips with red and white hearts, bearing their initials, while on a tray was the ring also tied with white hearts. Congratulations were most hearty and sincere both young people being well known and having a wide circle of friends. Bridge was enjoyed savouring to Mrs. Robert Hardwick, Miss Beatrice Morrison and Miss Catherine Saville.

### POWERS SENTENCED.

Michael J. Powers, who made his home in Quincy for some time was one of the three "d'uxe" book swindlers who were sentenced in the Superior court at Boston on Thursday. Powers was found guilty by Judge Chase of conspiracy and larceny on one count and was sentenced to two years in the house of correction at hard labor. Roland Sherman, counsel for Powers made a strong plea for his client emphasizing the fact that he had a wife and adopted son who would be left without support during his imprisonment. The alleged transactions upon which Powers and two others, Samuel Rosenfield and Glen F. Farmer, were found guilty was that with Mrs. Mary L. Rogers of Beacon street, Boston.

### BROKEN GLASS.

A new law of local interest is that which provides that whoever drops glass in a public street or highway, sidewalk or reservation in the immediate neighborhood of a bathing beach shall be liable to punishment by a fine of \$50 or by imprisonment for not more than thirty days.

### BRIEFS

Mrs. Beatrice Porterfield of Hancock street is the guest of relatives in Connecticut for three weeks.

Spring is here for the tulip bulbs have nosed up through the ground in front of the Public Library and crocuses are in bloom.

Rev. Samuel Raymond Maxwell of Greenfield has been called to the Second church of Boston. The First Parish church of Quincy a few years ago considered calling Mr. Maxwell.

The Harry L. Rice who have been spending a few weeks at Greenwood on Adams street are leaving the first of the week for their home in Dover, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allan Campbell, nee Elsie B. Martin, who were married in January are at home to their friends after April first at Cohasset road, South Framingham.

Mrs. Horace M. Willard of the Quincy Mansion school has issued cards for an at home for Thursday afternoon April second from four until seven o'clock.

The old stable on the estate at 1108 Hancock street, recently occupied by Charles H. Johnson, has been torn down and the house is being remodelled inside and put in thorough repair.

Miss Mary Jackson, who has been a guest of her niece Mrs. Henry H. Schulze of Park lane for a year or more, returned this week to Cincinnati Ohio, where her sister resides.

A competitive examination of applicants for the position of building inspectors in the building inspection department of the District Police will be held April 8, 1914.

The play "A scrap of paper," so successfully given by the teachers is to be repeated by the benefit of the Associated Charities. The date selected is May 12 at Alpha hall.

George E. Kelley of Barre, Vt., in Quincy, having been killed by the death of his brother James Emmett Kelley, whose funeral was held Tuesday.

Friday afternoon, Winthrop Packard of Boston lectures on "Birds" in the Coddington school hall for the benefit of teachers, upper grade pupils, and any others who may care to attend.

Mrs. William E. Alden of Chestnut street was hostess Wednesday evening for the annual dinner of the Quincy Pickwick Club. Mrs. Hattie E. Sargent and Herbert J. Gurney arranged the program.

Plans for the annual banquet and entertainment of the Granite City Club are well under way. The affair will be held at Alpha hall on Wednesday evening, April 28.

The School Masters Club will hold its semi-annual dinner at the Quincy House, Wednesday evening. Principal Arthur Lee of the Malden High school will speak on "Experiences as an exchange teacher in the schools of Germany."

Winthrop Packard of Boston is to give a talk on birds in Coddington school hall Friday afternoon April 3 at four o'clock. Colored slides will illustrate his talk and a cordial invitation to attend is extended to all interested in birds.

Two special committees of the School Committee held meetings on Tuesday evening. One committee gave a hearing to the members of the Italian Drawing Society on their request for assistance. The other committee discussed the petition of the janitors for an increase in salary.

The funeral of Miss Helen L. Barnard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Barnard, was held from her home, at 18 Packards lane, Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Stephen C. Lang of the Quincy Point Congregational church officiated. The burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

In connection with the proposed building of the Granite City Club, it is indicated that it will become immediately popular. Twenty boys from the Willard school alone have already signed their intention of entering the school, and in all probability there will be many more applicants than can be accommodated the first year.

There was a good attendance Wednesday evening at the weekly meeting of the Granite City Club. Amos L. Litchfield captured the first prize while the second went to Herman F. McIntire who has just returned from the south where he has spent the winter months. Ice cream and cake was served after the tournament.

Stanley Bone of Putnam street is leaving tonight for the weekly while his former home about fifteen years ago. He is to go into business there and will be joined later by Mrs. Bone who is now planning to leave Quincy in May. They have many friends here who much regret their going. Mrs. Bone is an active member of the Quincy Women's Club and will be missed.

The Mother Goose pantomime in fairland in the Boston Arena Tuesday night under the auspices of the South End Day Nursery Auxiliary of Boston was a success socially and financially. It was costed by Roland Estey as "Tom the Piper" and Miss Minnie Hardwick as "Little Red Riding Hood." Others included in the groups of fairies, the grand pagan, etc.

Councillor Guy of Quincy held an animated debate at the State House on Wednesday with several auditors, as to whether the word "Male" is in the United States constitution. The councillor insisted that it was not, and that women voted in the days of George Washington and that the sex can charge up to John Adams as the president of the United States in the one count and was sentenced to two years in the house of correction at hard labor. Roland Sherman, counsel for Powers made a strong plea for his client emphasizing the fact that he had a wife and adopted son who would be left without support during his imprisonment. The alleged transactions upon which Powers and two others, Samuel Rosenfield and Glen F. Farmer, were found guilty was that with Mrs. Mary L. Rogers of Beacon street, Boston.

Miss Mildred Lawton of Dorchester formerly of Quincy, was given a luncheon on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Dorothy Trickett, Hancock street which was a very happy occasion. Several of her young lady friends assembled and made offerings of linen, which were admired by all, including the groom-to-be, Charles Hall of Wollaston. It was a very pretty party with many surprises. Refreshments were served.

Miss Mary Garrity of Dysart street, a teacher in the Boston public schools died in North Carolina Wednesday where she has been living the past winter. The parents of the deceased died in her early childhood and she made her home with Mrs. William Gavin of Dysart street, an aunt. She was well known in this city and was a sister of Catherine Garrity a former teacher at the Quincy High school.

### BRIEFS

The inventory of the estate of Caroline H. Eaton of Quincy shows personal estate valued at \$14,623.

The barn on the estate of Joseph D. Griffin at 1067 Hancock street is being demolished into a house.

Mrs. John Loftus of South Walnut street is in New York city where she is the guest of friends. She expects to return early next week.

Mrs. Caroline A. Smith, mother of Mrs. Horace G. Crocker of Park lane, is seriously ill, having had a second shock early this month.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Harris who has been quite ill with pneumonia is reported much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Slade and Mrs. Emma Slade formerly of Quincy, left Sunday, March 29 on the S. S. Land, for a three months trip abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. William Marden of Edwards street are entertaining their daughter Eva of North Hanson at their home.

A letter box has been located on the Faxon hall building, corner of Revere road and Chestnut streets, from which several collections will be made, the last at 10 P. M.

Ex-City Solicitor John W. McAnaney returned from St. Louis Monday night. Mr. McAnaney has been in the west for several weeks conducting an important legal case.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hathorne of Edward street are the parents of a son born on Thursday night. Mrs. Hathorne and child are doing well. Mr. Hathorne is a Metropolitan police officer and parlors Furnace block parkway.

Griffiths Jones, of 372 Granite street, died on Friday after a short illness. He was in his 50th year and is survived by a wife and family. Mr. Jones was a well known Quincy resident and member of Quincy Lodge, No. 413, Loyal Order of Moose.

Henry Boston Sheahan of Harvard University gave an interesting illustrated talk on "Roman France" for the benefit of the Massachusetts Nurses Association, on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Butler, 40 Conant street, Danvers.

Thirteen well known men about City Square invaded the home of Clarence E. Sherman, the local merchant, on Thursday night and 40 couples were in attendance. The affair was a grand success socially, among those present being several of the best known people of the city. The matrons were Mrs. Annie Betts and Mrs. Fred Drake. Eats were served until adjournment at midnight.

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The many friends of Mrs. H. L. Nash will be sorry to learn that she is confined to her home on Upham road, having met with an accident on Wednesday.

About fifty Quincy people motored over to Brookline Wednesday night to attend a dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. Bigelow, nee May Rice at their Chestnut Hill home.

Cards have been sent out by Col. Edward Anderson and Mrs. Dexter Emerson Wadsworth of Presidents hill for Monday afternoon, to meet their guests Hon. Robert Watson and Mrs. Straud of St. John's Newfoundland.

Charles F. Moore, Jr., entertained several of his little friends Thursday the occasion being his seventh birthday. Those present were Leon Denison, Harold Gruney, James Brown, Robert Brown, William Howard, Charles Deans, Frederick Littlefield, George Churchill, Hargrave Heap, Jr., Ruth and Althea Willmore.

Monday morning Councilman Chas. W. Bailey who is vice president of a Boston bank, gave a splendid talk before the High School on the Clearing House. Last week Monday, Alexander W. Russell spoke to the school in a very interesting way on the Granite Industry of Quincy.

Quincy circle of Lady Moose held another of their successful weekly parties at the home of Mrs. H. L. Nash and 20 tables were in play. The scores were high and the winners were: Mrs. William Norrie, Mrs. Herbert Selden, Mrs. Nettie Lewis, Albert J. Williams, Theodore Gagnon, George Mark, Stephen M. Menemy. Another is planned in the immediate future.

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Mrs. Christopher A. Wyatt of Taylor street who has been in Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, D. C. for the past month returned the first of the week.

Mrs. Richard R. Freeman of Grand View avenue has returned from Brooklyn, New York, where she has been since the middle of February, with her son-in-law and daughter, Lieut. Chester W. Nimitz and Mrs. Nimitz.

Wollaston correspondents of the Daily Ledger are requested to use the new direct mail to Quincy which is closed at Wollaston 3.15. Letters for this mail should be taken to the post office, and not deposited in the letter boxes, and when late should be left at the stamp window.

Then Henry S. Epes of Grand View avenue sail for Holland in May where he is a member of the Commercial Union club. He attended their annual banquet and smoker at the Revere house, Boston Saturday night. Among the speakers were Hon. Michael F. Scanlon, Mayor of Lawrence and District attorney Joseph Pollitt.

A children's service was held Monday afternoon at 4.45 at St. Chrysostom church.

Mrs. Mary S. White died Wednesday afternoon at her home 180 Pleasant street, Brookline. She was in her 95th year and well known in that city. She was born in Avon and had lived in Brookline for many years. Her husband, Mr. Alvin E. Packard of Wollaston survives her.

Hilda Poulle, a Finn girl, employed as a domestic in Wollaston, was held up by four men on Beale street Wednesday night. According to the story told the police the men stopped and asked her for money. She refused anything valuable. The girl suffered no ill effects because of her experience.

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You can send books by parcel post now. Previously Congress seemed to think it was dangerous to spread too much information about the rural districts.

Although Wilson is sitting as hard on the Mexican safety valve as possible, an explosion of hot air is expected any day in Congress.

The granite men report that business is a rule is exceptionally good. During the month of February and the first part of March the weather was such that little or no work was done in any of the cutting sheds, and there were many plants that were practically closed down for two and three weeks. In the meantime, however, some spring orders were being looked, so that now good weather has arrived all of the manufacturers find themselves busy and are rushing to get off their Memorial day orders.

Every first class man possible to get has been put on work, and many are looking for good men. There are of course some granite cutters out of work, but as one manufacturer expresses it, there is not a first class man that is idle, and there will be plenty of work for them all of the season.

## RECLAIMING PRISONERS.

A few years ago in a certain community jail there was confined a defaulting bank official. This prison was small, kept in a kindly, common sense way. The "trusties" worked on a farm. They were allowed to run errands about the town.

On a few occasions this man was allowed to drive a wagon delivering chairs. Some of the metropolitan papers featured the story. It struck them as a primitive method of jail keeping, that a man shut up for a serious offense should be permitted to drive a wagon in the open air performing a useful service.

No doubt many people feel that such an offender should sit in jail, receiving in a respectful manner on his misdeeds. This mood, however, had been reached long before. What was called for then was a different kind of experience.

People who follow magazine literature must be impressed by the amount of space given within the past few months to the subject of reformation. They work on farms, or in a workshop, and some day give them a good living. They are finally let out on parole, and the probationary experience tends to fix in them the sense of responsibility.

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## PAGEANT OF TREES.

"Pageant of trees" was given in the Wollaston School hall. Thursday evening under the auspices of the civic department of the Wollaston Woman's club. Presented by a cast of over 150 the pageant took the form of a huge spectacle full of attractive costumes, picturesque groupings and graceful dances.

The story told was one of local history and was from the pen of Mrs. John H. Litchfield of Wollaston, well known for her endeavors in the literary field. The narrative told in verse tableau and pantomime of the vision of Chateaubault, the chief of the Moskwets, sitting moodily in his lodge under the trees of the sea bound hummock he is overcome with a strange narcotic power which causes the known and unknown to mingle strangely.

As the tale proceeds Chateaubault sees the changes wrought by flit of time and the events which mark the conquest of the pale face and the passing of the Indian.

The stage setting for the pageant was a woodland scene with all varieties of trees and foliage depicted. On each side of the stage stood a massive rock. The lack of other decorations left ample space for the movement of the large cast.

The originator and director of the pageant was Mrs. Anna Eastman Frost. Responsible for the idea and largely responsible for the success of the pageant was Mrs. Edward J. Badger. She was assisted by Miss Florence G. Olney, Mrs. Percy Davidson, Miss Maria Weston, Mrs. George E. Rundell, Mrs. Albert G. Olney, Miss Hattie Turner, Mrs. Charles R. Safford, Mrs. Harrison Lund.

Music was furnished by the Tempo club; Director, Miss Ethel Raymond, pianist, Miss Hazel Clark, violin, Mr. Harold W. Raymond, flute, Miss Doris White, cellist.

Following is the cast of characters: The Goddess of the Tree—Mrs. A. D. Ropes. The Heart of the Cedar—Mrs. Anna Eastman Frost. Pan—Muriel Badger.

Nymphs—Charlotte Barstow, Hildegard Ducey, Ethel Epps, Ruth Jones, Barbara Johnson, Edna Chapman, Helen Monlon, Elizabeth Sayward, Margaret Reed, Lydia Waite, Anna Weston, Priscilla White.

Mermen—Dorothy Brokaw, Ruth Bruce, Katherine Follett. Traders and Indians—Brandt Lupton, Harry Titus, Mr. Kinneburg, chief, and the Hodesnean lodge of Red men.

Lassies in the Beaver Jacks—Marcia Adams, Katherine Adams, May Blake, Lydia Jones, Gretchen Horst, Helen Richards, Dorothy Sprague.

Myths—Gandish—Arthur Raymond. John Morton—Charles B. Hall. Anne Hutchinson—Mrs. Percy L. Davidson.

Puritans—Mrs. Charles B. Hall, Mrs. George Fleming, Mrs. Harry Titus, Mrs. Charles Roache, Mrs. Myrtle Vye, Miss Annie Fletcher, Miss Gladys Plover, Mr. J. W. Elliott, Edward Hildebeck, Arthur Blauvelt, C. P. Rose, Miss Marion Rand, Stuart B. Ward, Harold Neal, Mrs. Frank Rawson.

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## FRATERNAL VISIT.

Quincy commandery, Knights Templar, paid a fraternal visit to De Molay commandery at Masonic Temple, Boston, Wednesday evening, and were most royally received and entertained by the latter.

Commander Edward E. James, son and the sir knights of De Molay commandery. The Quincy delegation, parading about seventy swords, boarded a special car attached to the 6.57 train from Quincy and arriving at the temple were given the entire use of the Prelates room for the evening.

A little after 7.30 the sir knights were escorted to the asylum by the guard and lined up on the south side of the asylum, the sir knights of De Molay commandery being lined up on the north side. En Commander Walter E. Piper and the officers of Quincy commandery were then escorted to the asylum by Generalissimo William F. Garrison under escort of the guard.

On the suite of Commander Piper, in addition to the officers of Quincy commandery, were Past Commander Charles E. Pierce of St. Omer commandery, an honorary member of Quincy commandery, Past Commander David J. Pierce of South Shore commandery, and Past Commanders Albert W. Fay, Henry P. Farnall and Arthur W. Stetson of Quincy commandery.

They were extended a most royal welcome by En. Commander Jameson who said he had looked forward to the visit of his neighbors in Quincy for a long time. It was the custom of De Molay commandery each year to entertain some commandery and when he was elected as commander he made up his mind that this year it should be Quincy commandery, many of whose members were personal friends.

In reply, Commander Piper expressed his thanks and that of the sir knights of Quincy commandery for the opportunity to pay the fraternal visit.

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## AMONG THE CLUBS.

Miss Gertrude Jones, president of St. Margaret's Guild of Christ church, invites all women of the parish to attend the meeting of the Guild Tuesday evening, when Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick will give one of his delightful readings.

The Lowland Aid Association met Thursday afternoon at the residence of C. H. Prescott, with Miss E. M. Prescott as the hostess. Mrs. Paul R. Blackburn president conducted the business and there was a good attendance and much sewing done. Several new members have been added to the association and there is a goodly sum in the treasury for the purchase of hospital supplies. The next meeting will be with Mrs. William H. Doble of South street.

Wednesday afternoon the Squantum Women's Club meets at the home of Mrs. S. H. Adams Park avenue. This meeting the club resumes its two meetings a month; the first held in the afternoon and the second in the evening.

The Junior Friday Club goes to Wollaston Monday afternoon to meet with the Junior Club of Arlington street. Mrs. Perry Lawton of Presidents hill is chairman of the afternoon.

Mrs. Isiah Sneath is chairman of the meeting of Wollaston Auxiliary. Woman's Board of Missions, next Wednesday afternoon.

The "Unity of the Kingdom," the text book "The King's Business" will be taken up at this meeting.

Mrs. Everett C. Bumpus of the Quincy Women's Club is to give three illustrated lectures in Philadelphia at the Academy of Music, 30, April 1 and April 6, and leaves the last of the week for that city.

As the education committee of the Quincy Women's Club will not have any baskets this year at its annual May festival, the committee of Quincy Circle of King's Daughters has decided to have a sale to replenish its treasury. Members have commenced to make may baskets and it is hoped to secure the little store on Chestnut street for the sale on April 25.

Whatever circle, Kings Daughters, are to have a luncheon and sale of useful and fancy articles in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry, Thursday, April 2.

Mrs. W. F. Cummings of the Quincy Y. M. C. A. contributed a paper at conference of auxiliaries at North Abington, Tuesday. "How can we change the world?" was the subject of her paper.

The Quincy Branch Alliance held its regular meeting Monday afternoon in the parlors of the First Parish Church, Thursday night. Practically the entire membership of the church was present. His text was from John 12:32 and special reference was made to a continuance of the firm spirit and strong religious convictions of its parishioners. He asked that they ever be faithful and recommend that their donors in Quincy be in the interest of church extension as earnest as in the past.

Previous to the evening services Rev. Mr. Lilliback officiated at the baptism of two children, the sons of Matthew E. Tapio and Aldrich Jaakkuri.

Rev. Mr. Lilliback assumed the pastorate of the Finnish congregational church at Brooklyn, N. Y., several months ago and has been very successful. He was warmly received by the members of that church and there has been a fine increase in its membership.

Mr. Lilliback was there one week but the family of eight children have been living here while their parents prepared their new home and on Friday they left for New York.

The seven passenger touring car of Charles H. Pennington carried them to the Quincy station where they were given a fine send off by parishioners. Edith, a daughter did not accompany her parents but will remain to finish her term at the Lincoln school where she is an eighth grade pupil. She will join them in New York next July.

The church has extended calls to the pastors to visit the church but none of them have accepted. A call to another well known minister who is prominent in the Finnish Congregational church will be extended within a week.

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6—Adams Chapter, D. R.  
7—Quincy Day Nursery Asso.—Club house  
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